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## FOREWORD

This document provides a record of resource allocations by both the US and the Republic of Vietnam (RVN) for certain RVN military forces and the US Army Advisory Program during the period 1 July 1964-30 June 1967. It is the product of the continuation of earlier studies on the cost of counterinsurgency land-combat operations in the RVN.\*

This document together with the earlier studies depicts the resource allocations in support of land-combat counterinsurgency operations over a period of 10 fiscal years. These studies provide data inputs and planning factors for other studies on counterinsurgency operations involving aspects such as force-structure planning, cost-effectiveness analyses, and methods of estimating resource requirements for future comparable operations.

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## Problem

(U) To analyze the resource allocations in support of the Republic of Vietnam (RVN) Army, Regional Forces, Popular Forces, and the US Army Advisory Program for the period 1 July 1964-30 June 1967 to determine sources and expenditures by amount and purpose in order to derive planning factors and to provide inputs to other studies on counterinsurgency operations.

(U) To illustrate historical trends in the resource allocations studied.

## Discussion

(U) The sources of resources made available for support of the forces and the program studied were:

(a) US economic assistance programs under the auspices of the Agency for International Development (AID). This source provided funds for US contribution to the RVN defense budget.

(b) The Military Assistance Program (MAP) until 25 March 1966.\* This source provided funds primarily for equipment, supplies, and services for the RVN military forces and some funds for support of the US Army Advisory Program.

(c) US Navy, Operations and Maintenance Appropriations. This source provided some of the funds for support of the US Army Advisory Program.

(d) US Army appropriations. This source provided some of the funds for support of the US Army Advisory Program and, starting 26 March 1966, funds for equipment, supplies, and services for the RVN Army, Regional Forces, and Popular Forces.

(e) RVN defense budget. This source, made up of US and RVN contributions, provided funds primarily for operating costs of the RVN military forces.

\*On 26 March 1966 the source of funds for US military assistance (equipment, supplies, and services) to the RVN was changed from the MAP appropriations under the Foreign Assistance Act to the regular appropriations made for each of the US armed services. Funds derived from the regular military service appropriations used for support of RVN armed forces are known as military assistance service funds. In this study the term "US military assistance" is used to describe both of these fund sources.

## SUMMARY

(U) The resources made available . . . . . aforementioned sources are traced for each force and the US Army Adv. Program by estimating the cost of pertinent activities such as deployment, provision of materiel and maintenance, construction and maintenance of facilities, training, and pay and allowances.

(U) The estimates derived for the period FY65-FY67 were used to calculate planning factors and to illustrate historical trends by comparison with the available data for the period FY58-FY64.

### **Conclusions**

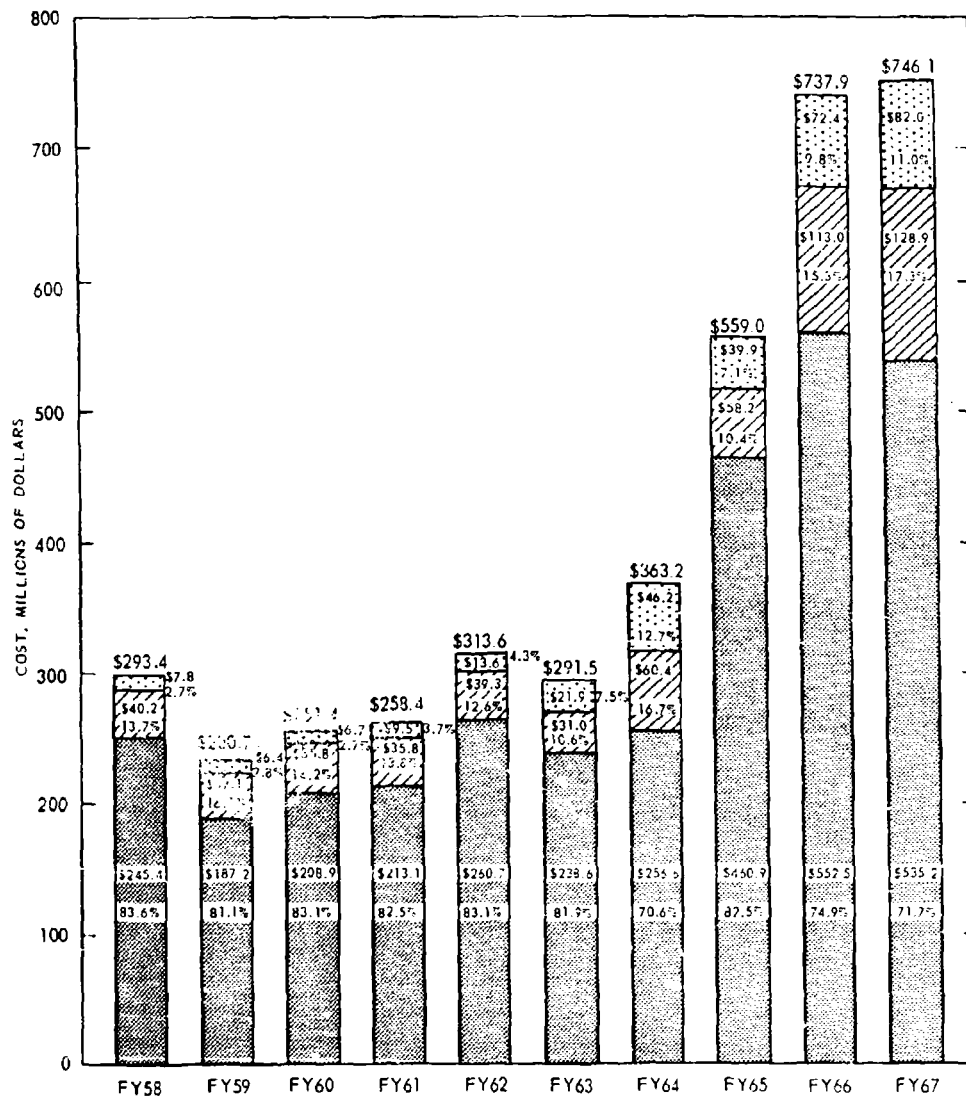
(U) Figure 1 shows the estimated total cost of the RVN Army, Regional Forces, and the Popular Forces. The data in Fig. 1 and the other figures in this summary are based on absolute costs and do not include any adjustments for price increases over time. Figure 1 does not include expenditures for ammunition for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces for FY58-FY63 because such data are not available.

(C) The total annual cost of support of the RVN Army varied relatively little from FY58 to FY64 but about doubled for the period FY65-FY67. Until FY64 the total cost of the Regional Forces remained fairly constant with most of the financial resources provided by the RVN. Consistent US support of the Regional Forces first became significant in FY64, and the level of such support increased sharply in FY66 and FY67. The total cost of the Popular Forces remained relatively constant until FY63 when it started to increase significantly, primarily because of extension of US military assistance support.

(U) The estimated expenditures shown in Fig. 1 are the sum of three inputs: (1) US military assistance funds; (2) US contributions to the RVN defense budget (derived from the operation of US economic assistance programs); and (3) RVN contributions to the RVN defense budget. Figure 2 shows the distribution of the US financial resources in terms of the force supported and input sources. Figure 3 shows the distribution of RVN contributions to the RVN defense budget for the RVN Army, Regional Forces, and Popular Forces.

(U) Figure 4 shows the average annual per capita (assigned strength) costs for support of the RVN Army, Regional Forces, and Popular Forces by major functional expenditures. Data on annual per capita costs in terms of input sources of funds are in Apps C, D, and E.

(U) The total annual per capita cost of the RVN Army and the Regional Forces remained quite stable throughout the period despite sharp increases in the total annual cost of support of these forces. The major factor in the annual per capita cost is the cost of pay and allowances. For both forces, the highs and lows were probably caused primarily by increases in pay and allowances and changes in conversion rates of RVN currency to US dollars. These influences are discussed more fully in the main body of the study.



(C) Fig. 1—Total Cost of RVN Army, Regional Forces, and Popular Forces, FY58–FY67

Popular Forces
 Regional Forces
 RVN Army

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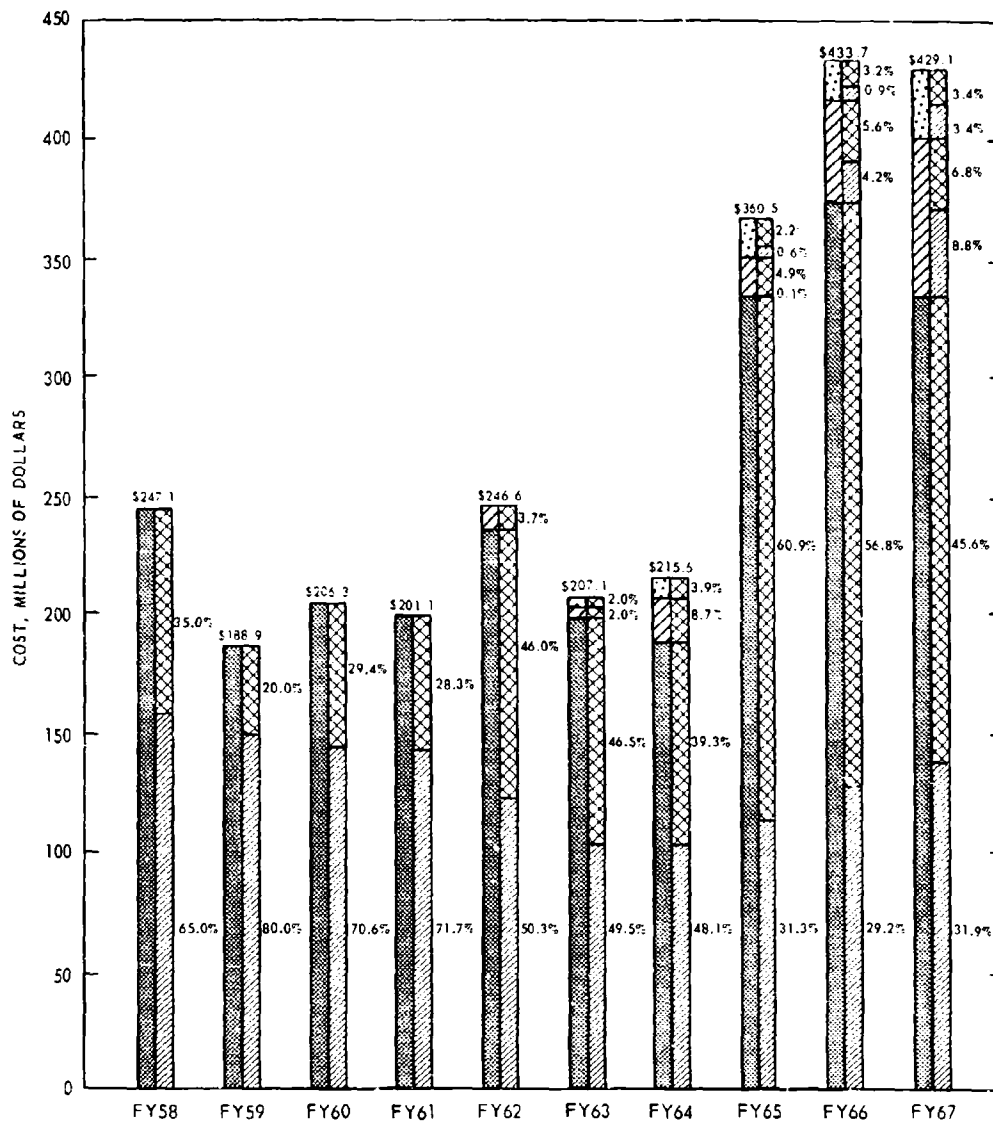
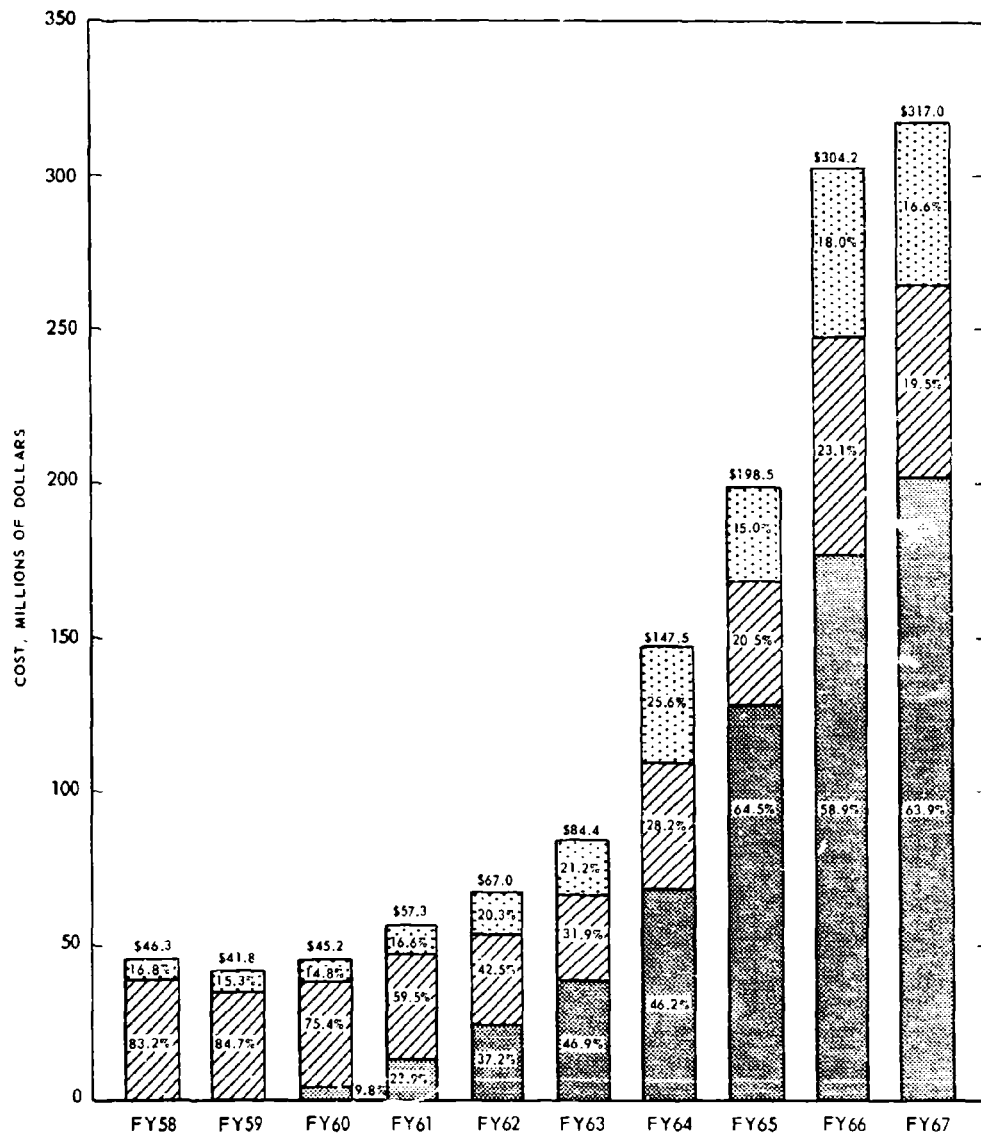


Fig. 2—Percentage Distribution of US Financial Resources in Support of RVN Army, Regional Forces, and Popular Forces, FY58–FY67

(C)

Totals for FY58–FY62 include US support of Regional Forces through an AID predecessor agency (see Table D37).

RVN Army
  Regional Forces
  Popular Forces
  US support of RVN defense budget
  US military assistance

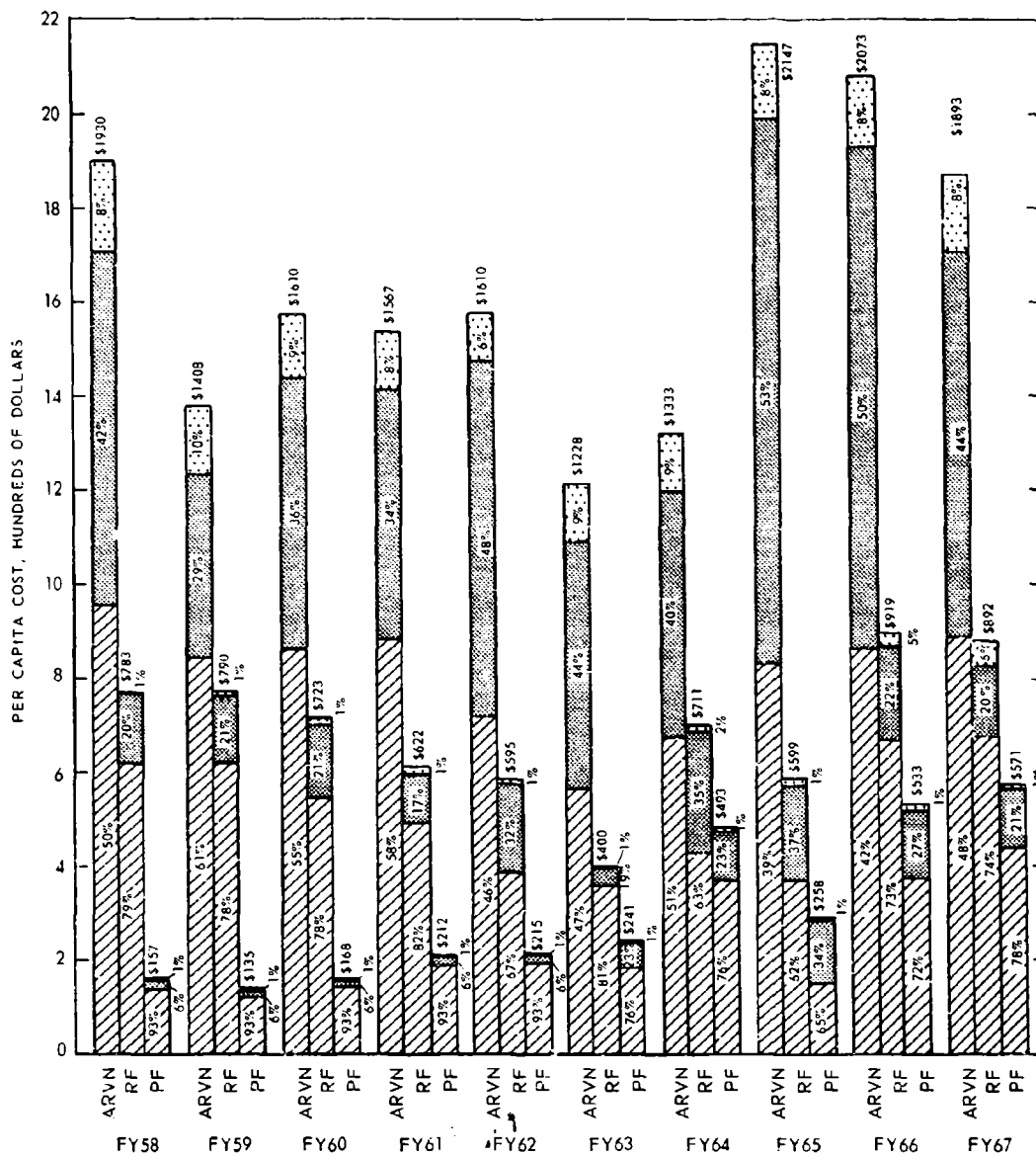


(C) Fig. 3—Percentage Distribution of RVN Contributions to the RVN Defense Budget in Support of RVN Army, Regional Forces, and Popular Forces, FY58–FY67

Popular Forces
  Regional Forces
  RVN Army



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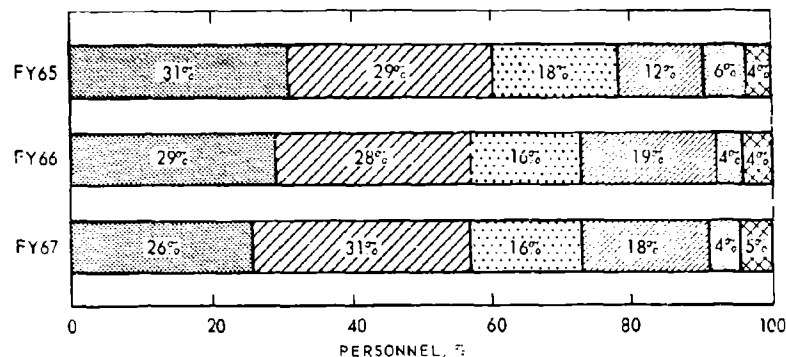


(C) Fig. 4—Annual per Capita Costs for RVN Army, Regional Forces, and Popular Forces, FY58-FY67

Pay and allowances    Material and maintenance    Other

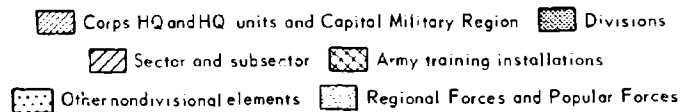
(U) The total annual per capita cost of the Popular Forces increased in the latter half of the period primarily as a result of the increased US support of the Popular Forces. The low in FY65 is probably due to questionable personnel-strength data rather than reduced level of support. This matter is discussed more fully in Chap. 3.

(C) The 5435 US Army advisors in the RVN at the end of FY67 represented an increase of about 300 percent over the 1820 advisors at the beginning of FY65. The distribution of advisors by type of assignment remained relatively constant during the period. This distribution is shown in Fig. 5, which is repeated later as Fig. 56 for the convenience of the reader.



(C) Fig. 5--Percentage Distribution of US Army Advisors, by Assignment, FY65-FY67

Same as Fig. 56.



(C) The US Army Advisory Program was supported completely by US sources, including US support of the RVN defense budget. The data available do not permit estimating all the annual costs of this program. It is estimated that the cost of this program was at least \$67 million for the period FY65-FY67. The average annual per capita cost of an assigned US Army advisor during that period for predeployment training, movement to and from Vietnam, and in-country support is estimated to have been at least \$4000.

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## ABBREVIATIONS

ABT	all body types
AID	Agency for International Development
AIK	assistance in kind
ALC	Area Logistical Command
AMC	Army Materiel Command
APC	armored personnel carrier
AR	automatic rifle
ARVN	Army, Republic of Vietnam
ASD ISA	Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs
BAR	Browning automatic rifle
bde	brigade
bn	battalion
cav	cavalry
C&GSC	Command and General Staff College
CINCPAC	Commander in Chief, Pacific
CLC	Central Logistical Command
COMUSMACV	Commander, US Military Assistance Command, Vietnam
CONUS	continental United States
ctg	cartridge
CY	calendar year
DCSLOG	Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics
div	division
DOD	Department of Defense
D/S Cos	direct support companies
EM	enlisted man or men
FWMAF	Free World Military Assistance Forces
FY	fiscal year
GR	graves registration
HQ	headquarters
ICA	International Cooperation Agency (a predecessor of AID)
inf	infantry
ISA	International Security Affairs
JGS	Joint General Staff
KIA	killed in action
MACV	Military Assistance Command, Vietnam
MAP	Military Assistance Program
MATA	Military Assistance Training Advisor
MIA	missing in action
MTT	mobile training teams
NCO	noncommissioned officer
nd	no data
NMCC	National Military Command Center
OMA	operations and maintenance, Army
PACOM	Pacific Command
P&A	pay and allowances
PF	Popular Forces
POL	petroleum, oils, and lubricants
PSYWAR	psychological warfare
R&D	research and development
recon	reconnaissance
regt	regiment
RF	Regional Forces
RVN	Republic of Vietnam
RVNAF	Republic of Vietnam Armed Forces
TOE(s)	table(s) of organization and equipment
USA	United States Army
USARV	US Army, Vietnam
USMACV	US Military Assistance Command, Vietnam
WAC	Women's Army Corps

## Chapter 1

### INTRODUCTION

#### PURPOSE

(U) The aim of this study is to analyze the resource allocations in support of counterinsurgency land-combat operations in the RVN during the period FY65-FY67 to accomplish the following:

- (a) Determine the resource allocations in support of the RVN Army, Regional Forces, Popular Forces, and the US Army Advisory Program
- (b) Compare these resource allocations in terms of output
- (c) Derive planning factors for estimating resource requirements for comparable future operations
- (d) Provide inputs to other studies such as force-structure planning for counterinsurgency land-combat operations, planning for stability operations, cost-effectiveness analyses of various aspects of counterinsurgency operations, and methods of estimating resource requirements for future counterinsurgency operations

#### SCOPE

(U) This study provides estimates of past resource allocations and planning factors in terms of personnel, dollars, and materiel for the forces and program examined. The estimates are neither the total incremental cost nor the total cost of the US support of counterinsurgency land-combat operations in Vietnam. For example, some of the US Army advisory personnel in Vietnam would have served overseas in other areas, and therefore the costs of moving them to and from Vietnam are not completely incremental. This study makes no effort to estimate the degree to which these and other comparable costs are incremental.

(U) The effectiveness or efficiency of the forces or programs studied are not considered in this study. The interrelations among military and civilian programs in the RVN are examined only as necessary to develop the resources expended on the forces and program studied.

(U) This study is a continuation of a comparable study covering the period 1 July 1957-31 December 1964. References 1 to 3 list the documentation of this study, and detailed background material contained in those documents is not repeated here except when necessary for clarity. Specific references to the earlier study are made where deemed appropriate.

(U) There were many inevitable inconsistencies within the source documents examined in the course of this study. The data reported by the headquarters most probably having direct knowledge of the subject were used when inconsistencies were present. Many of the data reported by US headquarters were furnished by Vietnamese sources. Some of the data, particularly on training and construction, were pieced together from working papers from several headquarters. In a few instances there are minor inconsistencies in totals because of the varying rounding procedures used by different sources and the necessity to allocate by year where the available data consist of sums covering periods of more than 1 year. Overall the data presented in this study are considered to be of sufficient reliability to warrant the use of the estimated resource allocations for the purposes stated.

(U) Much of the data on resources pertinent to this study are available only in such an aggregated form that it was necessary to make allocations among the recipient forces. The major resource sources falling into this category are the funds provided through the RVN defense budget and materiel provided through the US military assistance programs. Appendix B describes the allocations made and the rationale.

(U) All data presented are in terms of US fiscal years unless otherwise indicated.

#### METHODOLOGY

(U) The data in this report represent estimated actual deliveries of materiel and services and obligations of RVN defense budget funds. The time lag between actual deliveries and approved programs cannot be determined from the available data. Further, actual deliveries do not fully reflect actual authorizations, but rather reflect the approved funding levels and the availability of materiel and services. No distinction has been made between investment costs (nonrecurring) and operating costs (recurring), as the source data do not make these distinctions.

(U) The planning factors given in this report have been developed for use as annual factors so that they will be compatible with the funding cycle. Many of the planning factors have been developed as per capita cost factors from the average annual strength (sum of the monthly end strengths averaged) for the applicable period. It is recognized that many of the costs are not solely functions of personnel strength. However, the RVN Army has no aircraft or missiles and very little armor. For this reason most of the materiel is for support of personnel, and costs can therefore be considered personnel-dependent. The per capita planning factors of this paper are not designed for cost-effectiveness analysis of the subelements of the force structure, i.e., for comparison of maneuver battalions.

#### ASSUMPTIONS AND FACTORS

(U) Listed in the following paragraphs are the general assumptions used in this study, with explanatory material where required. Specific assumptions

are stated in the appropriate chapter. Factors used for conversion of piasters to dollars, supply operations, and other items are listed in App A.

#### Funding

(U) (a) All expenditures and deliveries of materiel within a calendar or fiscal year were made at a uniform rate.

(U) (b) The total costs of a construction project were incurred during the fiscal year construction started.

(U) (c) The costs of mobile training teams (MTTs) and overseas school training were incurred during the fiscal year in which the instruction started.

(U) (d) The proposed US-fund support of the RVN defense budgets contained in each budget was completely expended as proposed unless otherwise stated. (The available data on the line-item breakout of proposed US-fund support of the RVN defense do not give actual expenditures. For the period 1957-1964 more than 98 percent of the total proposed US-fund support of the RVN defense budget was actually expended as proposed.)<sup>4</sup>

#### Military Assistance Materiel

(U) (e) All military assistance materiel delivered in Vietnam in fulfillment of a program was assigned as programmed. (Undoubtedly there were changes between programmed and actual recipients. These changes are virtually impossible to trace, and any significant changes would probably be compensated for in subsequent programming, which includes consideration of the in-country asset basis.)

(U) (f) Army MAP materiel programmed for the RVN Navy, Air Force, and Marines was insignificant. (For FY64 and FY65 these deliveries were less than 2 percent of the total cost of Army MAP deliveries.)

#### RESOURCES

(U) The resources for support of RVN counterinsurgency land-combat operations during the period studied were derived from the following sources:

(a) The Department of Defense (DOD) MAP program until 25 March 1966

(b) US Army (USA) appropriations

(c) US economic assistance programs under the auspices of the AID

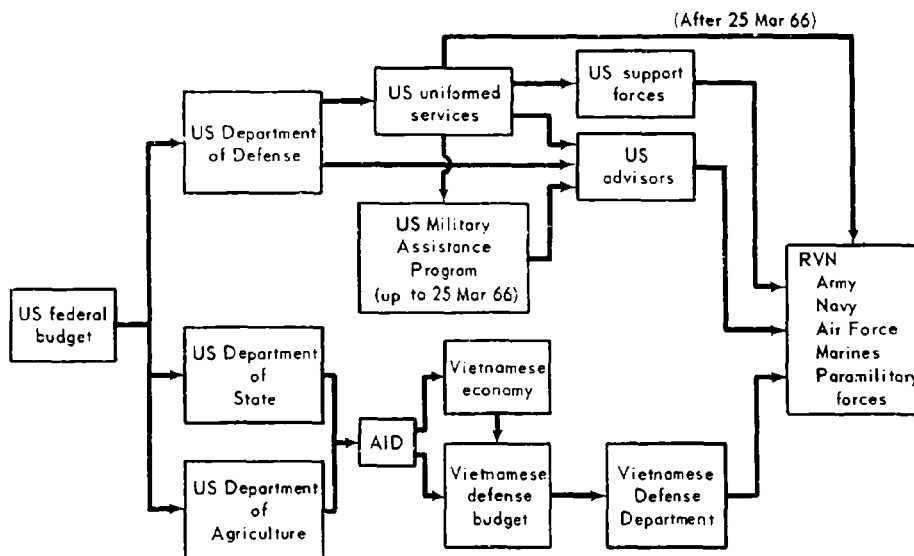
(d) RVN governmental appropriations (defense budget)

(U) The flow of these resources to the RVN forces and the US Army Advisory Program is shown schematically in Fig. 6.

#### DOD Military Assistance Program

(U) The MAP is designed to provide military equipment, supplies, and services to countries that cannot afford to equip their military forces at a level considered by the US to be necessary. The MAP is the responsibility of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs (ASD

ISA). The unified command, Pacific Command (PACOM), is responsible for the MAP Pacific Program, which included Vietnam up to 25 March 1966. In Vietnam the Military Assistance Command (MACV) initiated MAP programming based on the guidance issued by the ASD ISA and the Commander in Chief, Pacific (CINCPAC). This guidance usually covered force and funding levels, items, and services available and their costs. Within this guidance MACV recommended a detailed program for equipment, supplies, and services on a fiscal-year basis. Among the factors in the preparation of this program were tables of organization and equipment (TOE) authorizations and the total-asset situation within Vietnam. After ISA and Congressional approval of the



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Fig. 6—US Assistance to the RVN, FY65–FY67

consolidated Pacific area program, ISA issued MAP orders to the appropriate US military departments. Each US military department then made available and shipped to Vietnam those items specified in the MAP order. On arrival there, title and possession of the equipment were transferred to the Vietnamese military authorities.

(U) Under the MAP program each service furnished articles and services within its normal responsibility regardless of the end user in the supported armed force. For example, the US Army MAP program funded the procurement of Army-type aircraft and the training of Vietnamese aviators, although all aircraft in the RVN forces are assigned to the RVN Air Force. On 25 March 1966 the DOD MAP program for the RVN ended and the military assistance program for the RVN became the responsibility of the individual services, to include funding.<sup>6</sup>



## US Army

(U) Resources made available from US Army appropriations up to 25 March 1966 were used primarily in support of the US Army advisory program and for combat support for RVN armed forces. Since 25 March 1966, the US Army has assumed responsibility for furnishing military assistance, including funding, for support of the RVN Army, Regional Forces, and Popular Forces. At that time, responsibility for previous US Army MAP support for certain Army-type materiel and services for the RVN Air Force and Navy was assumed by the US Air Force and the US Navy respectively.

## US Economic Assistance Program

(U) The AID supplies financial and technical assistance to countries that wish to improve their social and economic conditions but are unable to do so from their internal resources. Defense-support funds for military-budget support for specified countries, including the RVN, are also made available through the economic assistance programs sponsored by AID. The major programs for furnishing economic aid to the RVN during the period studied have been the Commercial Import and Food for Freedom (Peace) programs. These economic aid programs generate local-currency funds, usually known as counterpart funds. The counterpart funds are used primarily to support the RVN military budget and development projects. Descriptions and data on each of the assistance programs and the various counterpart funds are contained in App B of Ref 2.

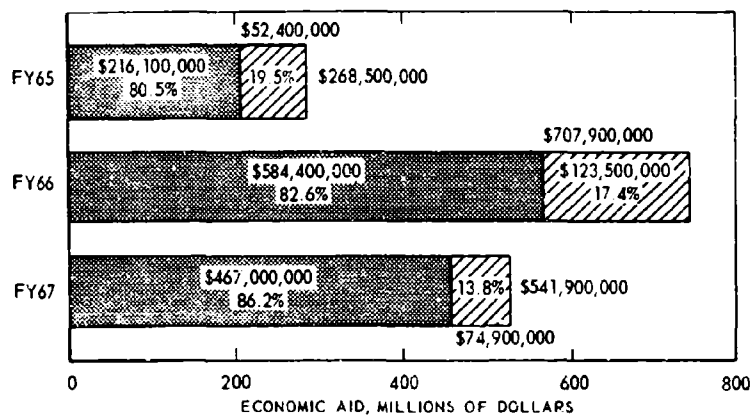
(U) The total US economic aid furnished to the RVN during FY65-FY67<sup>6,7</sup> is shown in Fig. 7.

## RVN Defense Budget

(U) The defense budget of the RVN provides funds primarily for annual operating expenses and is prepared on a calendar-year basis, which is the RVN fiscal year (1 January-31 December). The defense budget, starting in 1965, covers the expenses of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces as well as the regular forces (RVN Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps). The defense budget also provides for some support of Free World Military Assistance Forces and US forces. This support is known as assistance in kind (AIK). The support furnished by the US MAP and the US Army, Navy, and Air Force is not included in the RVN defense budget.

(U) US support of the RVN defense budget comes from local currencies generated as a result of US economic assistance programs. The preparation and the execution of the RVN defense budget are closely monitored by MACV. The defense budget is subject to approval by US authorities in Vietnam. Details on the development, preparation, and review of the budget are contained in RAC-TP-232<sup>2</sup> and a MACV handbook.<sup>8</sup> RVN defense budget totals by sources are shown in Fig. 8. All totals have been converted from piasters to dollars in accordance with the assumptions and the conversion factors in App A. Detailed data on the RVN defense budgets for the period 1965-1967 are in App B.

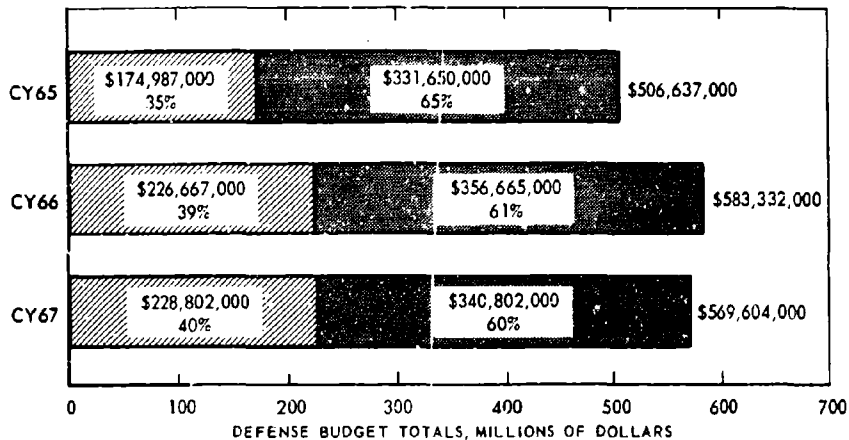
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Fig. 7—US Economic Aid to the RVN, FY65–FY67<sup>6,7</sup>

■ AID grants    ▨ Food for Freedom



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Fig. 8—RVN Defense Budget Totals by Source, CY65–CY67

▨ US    ■ RVN

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## Chapter 2

### RVN ARMY

#### FORCE STRUCTURE

(U) A brief account of the evolution of the RVN Army since 1954 is contained in Ref 1.

(C) At the beginning of FY65 the RVN Army was organized as a conventional force built around nine triangular infantry divisions organized into four corps with supporting nondivisional units. In May 1965 the number of infantry divisions was increased to 10 by the regrouping of separate infantry units.<sup>9</sup> RVN infantry divisions normally have three infantry regiments and most regiments have four infantry battalions. The major nondivisional combat elements of the RVN Army are airborne, separate infantry, armored, and ranger units. Figure 9 shows the assigned strength of the combat units relative to the total assigned strength of the RVN Army. Detailed data are in App C.

(U) Few data are available on the actual force structure of the RVN Army in terms of actual strengths and numbers of noncombat units. Detailed data on the authorized force structure of the RVN Army and organizational charts and major equipment items of selected RVN Army units are in App C.

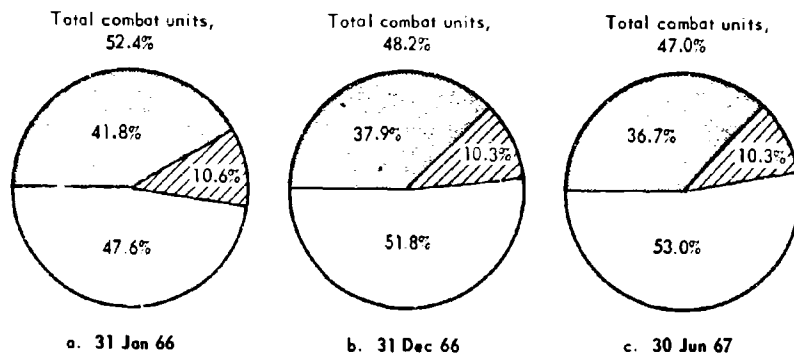
#### STRENGTH

(C) The authorized and assigned strength of the RVN Army increased significantly in FY65.<sup>9</sup> Further increases were made in FY66 and FY67. However, planned increases for FY67 were halted because of unrealistic demands in view of available manpower assets and because desertions within the RVN Army created difficulties in maintaining unit strengths. Although the overall strength of the RVN Army continued to rise, the "present for operations" strengths of combat units remained at unsatisfactory levels.<sup>10</sup> Figure 10 shows the monthly average and year-end assigned strengths for the period FY65-FY67. Detailed data on assigned strengths are in App C.

(C) The RVN Army has been characterized by high personnel turnover, particularly because of desertions. In FY66 the average monthly rate for desertions per 1000 men was 18.4. Detailed data on personnel turnover are in App C. No data are available to assess the cost implications of the RVN Army personnel turbulence.

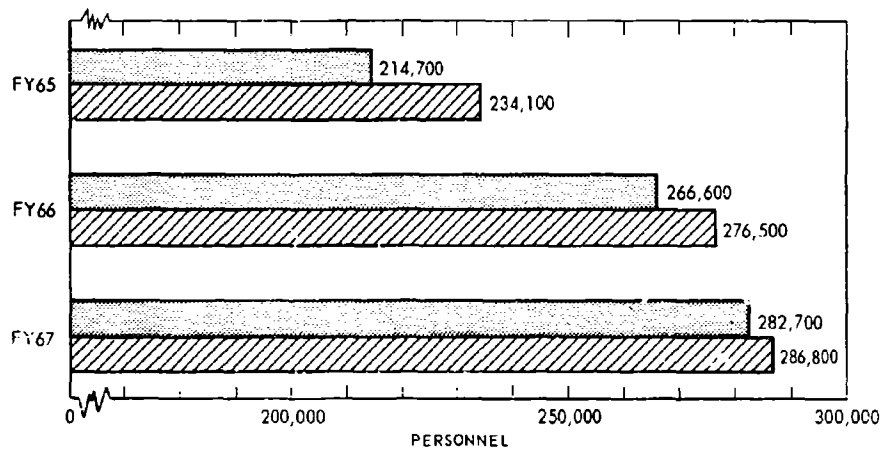
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(U) Fig. 9—Percentage of Assigned Strengths of Combat Units to Total RVN Army on Various Dates

■ Divisions    ▨ Nondivisional combat units    □ Noncombat units



(C) Fig. 10—RVN Army Monthly Average and Year-End Assigned Strengths, FY65–FY67

▨ Monthly    ▨ Year-end

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### LOGISTICS

(U) The RVN Army logistical system is separate and distinct from US logistical systems in the RVN. The RVN Army system is based on support by technical services that parallel those that existed in the US Army before 1962. Each of the four corps as well as the Capital Military District is supported by an area logistical command (ALC). These logistical commands are supported by technical service depots and service units. The area logistical commands and the technical services are organizationally under the command of the Central Logistical Command (CLC), which is under the RVN Armed Forces (RVNAF) Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics. Figure 11 portrays the RVN Army organization for logistics as of 1 July 1967. Details on RVNAF logistical channels are in App C. Details on the entire RVNAF logistical system including an evaluation are in two MACV reports.<sup>11,12</sup>

### MATERIEL AND MAINTENANCE

(C) Since 1954 the US has furnished most of the materiel for the RVN Army under the provisions of MAP (including predecessor agencies) and through Military Assistance Service Funding. Some minor amounts of materiel were furnished starting in FY65 from US Army stocks in the RVN. The RVN has no specialized military industry or base for developing one. All other materiel and maintenance costs of the RVN Army were met from the RVN defense budget to which the US made significant contributions using funds generated by the economic assistance programs described in Chap. 1. The major RVN expenditures for materiel and maintenance have been for expendable materiel and pay and allowances of civilian employees. The contributions of other countries in support of the RVN Army have been confined mostly to relatively insignificant amounts of expendables.<sup>13</sup> Figure 12 shows the estimated total expenditures for materiel and maintenance (exclusive of facilities) for the RVN Army.

(U) The available reports on US-funded materiel and maintenance for the RVN Army are inconsistent and in some cases do not cover identical time periods. For example, the data on ammunition shipments to the RVN prepared by the US Army Ammunition Supply and Procurement Agency cover each fiscal year and represent actual deliveries at first port in the RVN. The data available on other materiel cover the periods FY65, 1 July 1965-25 March 1966, and 26 March 1966-30 June 1967. These data represent only constructive deliveries, which represent materiel turned over to a common carrier in the continental US (CONUS) for delivery to the RVN. Figure 13 shows the estimated dollar cost of major general categories of materiel furnished by the US for the RVN Army for the period FY65-FY67. Appendix C contains detailed data to include specific items within each general category and their relation to the total cost, estimated annual and average per capita costs, allocations by functional grouping of RVN Army units and activities, and the rationale used in developing the estimates.

(U) Materiel furnished by the US for the RVN armed forces comes under RVN custody and control on arrival in the RVN. No data are available to cor-

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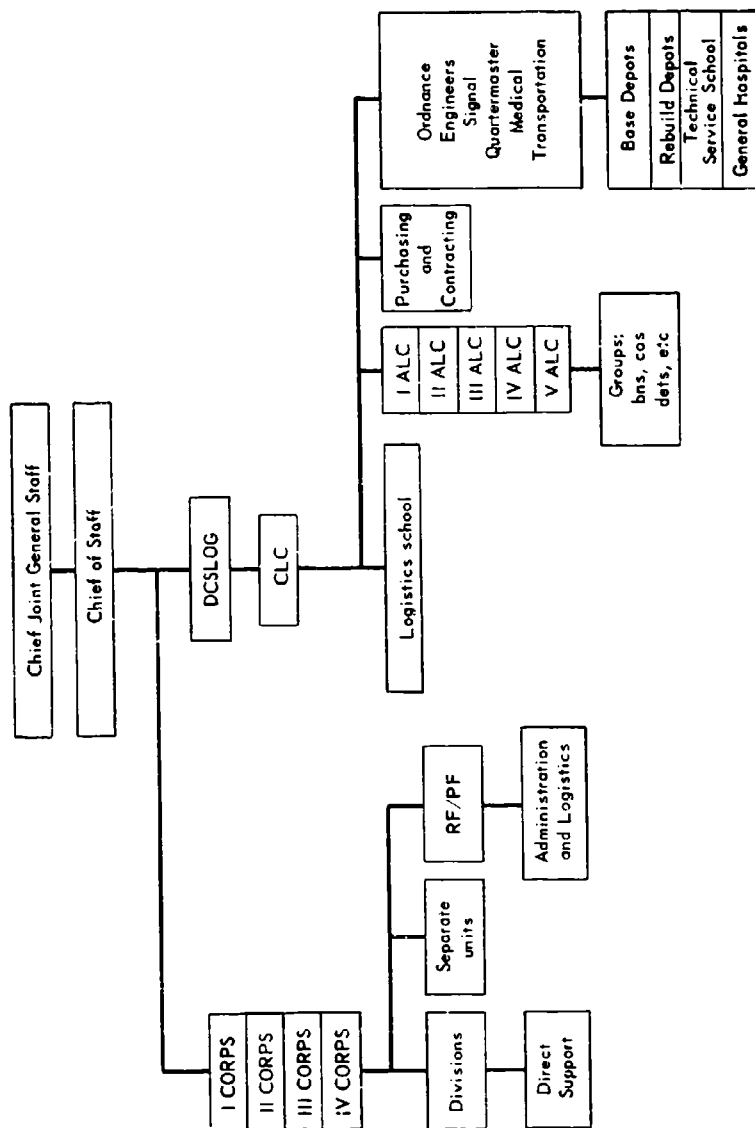
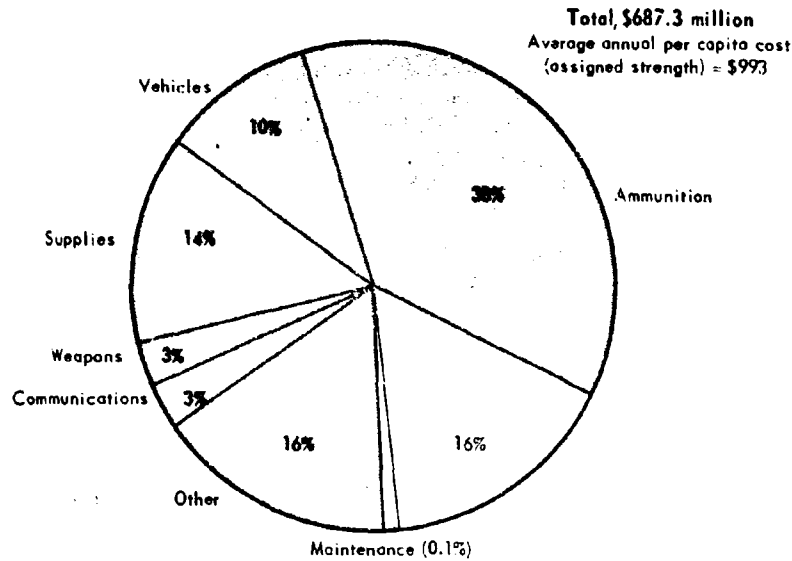


Fig. 11—RVNAF Organization for Logistics<sup>11</sup>

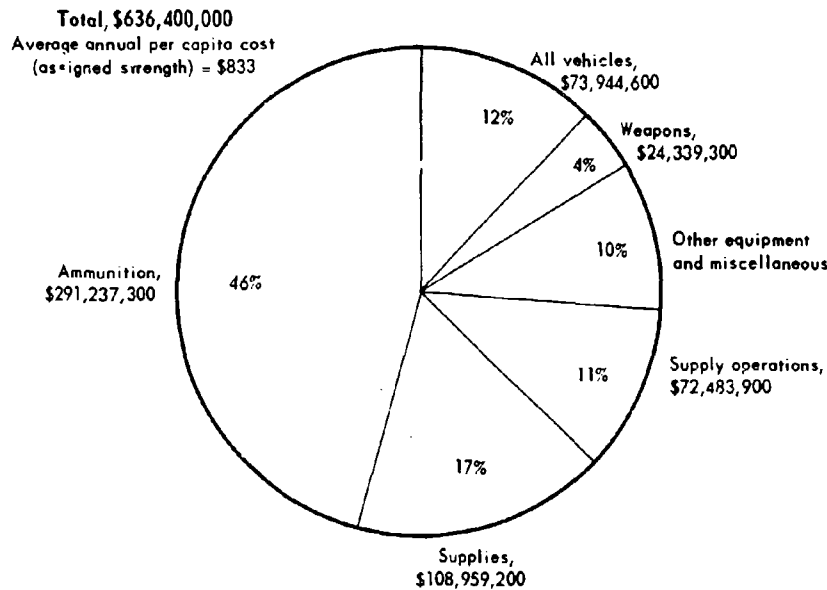
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(C) Fig. 12—Estimated Total Cost of Materiel and Maintenance for the RVN Army, by Materiel Category and Source of Funds, FY65-FY67

- ☐ US military assistance materiel, \$636.4 million (84%)
- ☐ Materiel funded by RVN defense budget



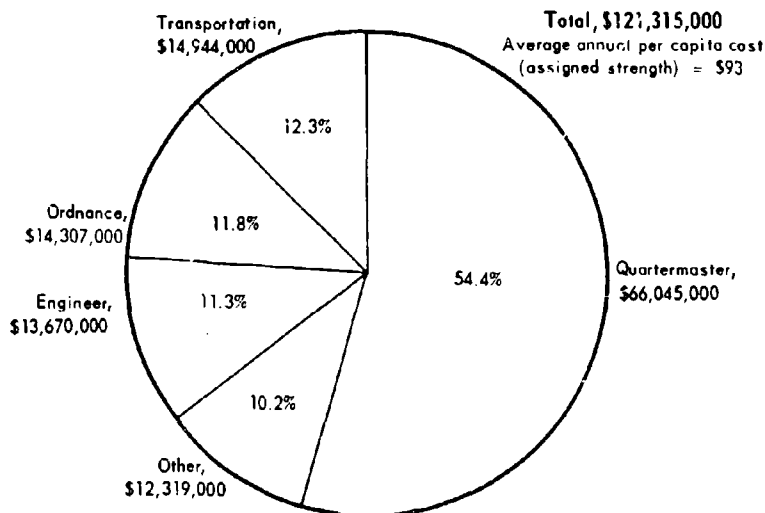
(C) Fig. 13—RVN Army Materiel Funded by US Military Assistance, FY65-FY67

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relate constructive deliveries with receipts at RVN Army depots. The available data on RVN Army inventories and densities of weapons, vehicles, and selected signal items to include amounts in units and depots are in App C.

(U) The available data on materiel and maintenance costs funded through the RVN defense budget are based on technical services and do not permit separation of materiel and maintenance costs. Figure 14 shows the estimated



(C) Fig. 14—RVN Army Materiel and Maintenance Funded by the RVN Defense Budget, FY65-FY67

materiel and maintenance costs for the RVN Army for the period FY65-FY67 funded through the RVN defense budget. The US provided about 41 percent of these costs. Detailed data, by year, are in App C. Some maintenance support was also provided in FY65 by foreign technicians funded through US military assistance programs. Detailed data are in App C.

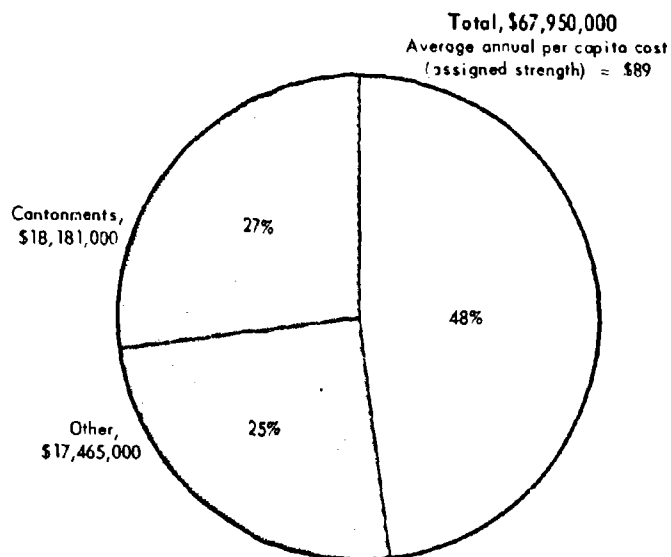
### CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF FACILITIES

(U) Expenditures for construction for the RVN Army increased each year during the period. However, the RVN did not spend all the construction money provided in the RVN defense budgets. The expenditures for maintenance of facilities, provided for only in the RVN defense budget, remained virtually constant during the period. Figure 15 shows the estimated cost of construction and maintenance of facilities for the RVN Army. The US contributed about 57 percent of the total. The data on construction are based on information furnished by HQ US Army, Vietnam, Engineer Advisory Division and not on the RVN defense budgets. Detailed data and factors are in App C.

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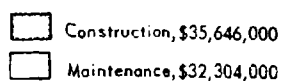


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(C) Fig. 15—Estimated Cost of Construction and Maintenance of Facilities for the RVN Army, FY65-FY67

Less training facilities.



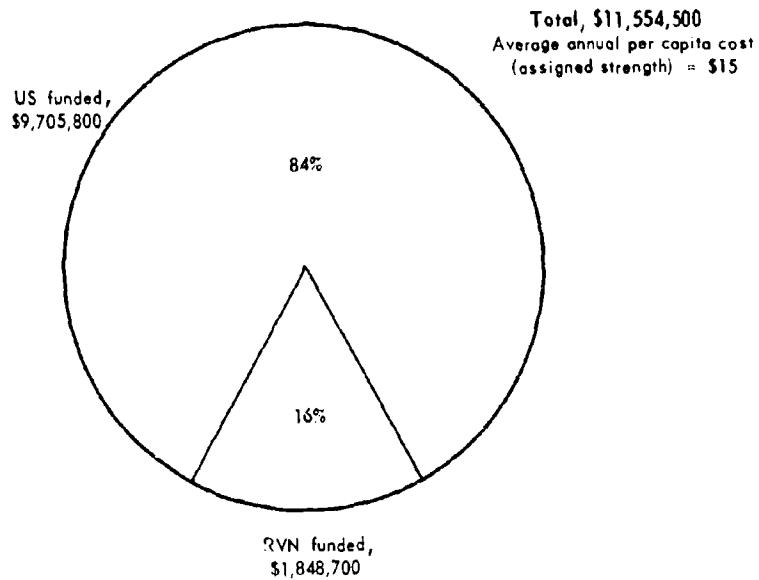
### TRAINING

(U) The training programs of the RVN Army follow the usual US Army patterns of schools and unit training. The Chiefs of the RVN Army technical services control the technical service schools. To overcome shortages in qualified Vietnamese personnel, use is made of offshore schools for Vietnamese personnel, US MTTs, and foreign technical representatives within Vietnam. The technical representatives for the most part are used as maintenance technicians rather than as instructors. A major form of US training support is the provision of US military personnel as advisors to various activities, headquarters, and units. This activity is covered in Chap. 4.

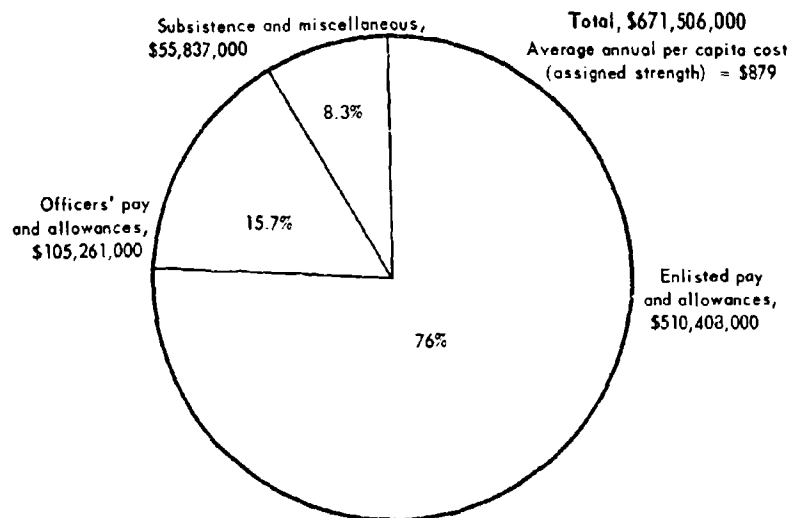
(U) The major sources of funding for RVN Army training are US military assistance programs and the RVN defense budget. US military assistance programs provide all the funds for offshore schooling and some of the funds for in-country training, particularly for construction of training facilities and provision of training equipment. Figure 16 shows the total estimated costs of the RVN Army training during the period. Detailed data and a tabulation of RVN Army schools and training centers are in App C.

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(C) Fig. 16—Estimated Cost of RVN Army Training,  
by Source of Funds, FY65-FY67



(C) Fig. 17—Estimated Costs of RVN Army Pay and Personal Allowances,  
by Expenditure Category, FY65-FY67

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## MILITARY PAY AND PERSONAL ALLOWANCES

(U) The greater part of the RVN defense budget and the US support is devoted to the pay of RVN Army military personnel and personal allowances. For the period FY65-FY67 about 44 percent of the total defense budget for the RVN Army and about 75 percent of the total US support of the defense budget for the RVN Army were devoted to that purpose. Figure 17 shows the estimated costs of the RVN Army pay, personal allowances, and subsistence. Detailed data including information on pay scales and factors are in App C.

## OTHER RVN ARMY COSTS

(C) In addition to the costs previously described, there were additional costs for a variety of miscellaneous activities and agencies. These costs for the period are estimated to be about \$39 million or about 4 percent of the total RVN defense budget for the RVN Army. Detailed data on these costs are in App C.

## RECAPITULATION AND ANALYSIS

### General

(U) The recapitulation and analysis that follow cover the period FY65-FY67 in some detail and the major trends for the period FY58-FY67. The data used for the FY58-FY64 period are from Refs 2 and 3. Detailed data for the FY65-FY67 period are in App C.

### Period FY65-FY67

(U) Figures 18 to 20 show the estimated total cost of support of the RVN Army in terms of distribution by major functional categories and annual per capita costs.

(U) The piaster increase in expenditures for pay and allowances both in absolute costs and in percentage of total costs is not fully shown in Figs. 18 to 20. The increase in piaster expenditures tends to be masked by the change in the conversion rate in 1967 from 60 to 80 piasters to the US dollar and the fact that over 50 percent of the expenditures for pay and allowances came from RVN sources.

(U) Figure 21 shows the sources for the total expenditures.

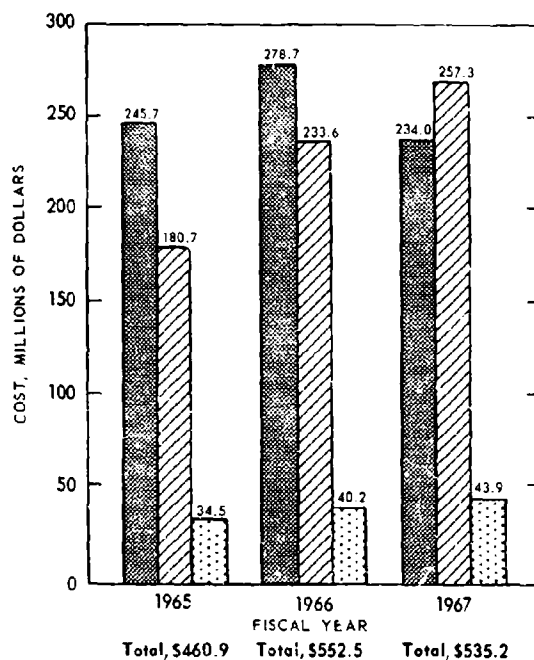
(U) The RVN proportion of the financial support of the RVN Army increased each year. However, the absolute amount of US support both in military assistance funds and support of the RVN defense budget did not decrease. Figure 22 shows the changes in US support of the RVN defense budget for the RVN Army.

(U) During the period there were significant variations in the expenditures for US military assistance materiel and maintenance. The variations in selected categories are shown in Fig. 23 in terms of total cost and percentage distribution.

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(C) Ammunition was the highest-cost item of materiel and maintenance for the RVN Army and accounted for 30 percent in FY65, 46 percent in FY66, and 38 percent of all expenditures for materiel and maintenance. Artillery ammunition accounted for about 68 percent of the total expenditures for am-



(C) Fig. 18—Estimated Direct Cost of the RVN Army, by Functional Category, FY65-FY67

■ Materiel and maintenance  
 ▨ Pay and allowances    ▤ Other

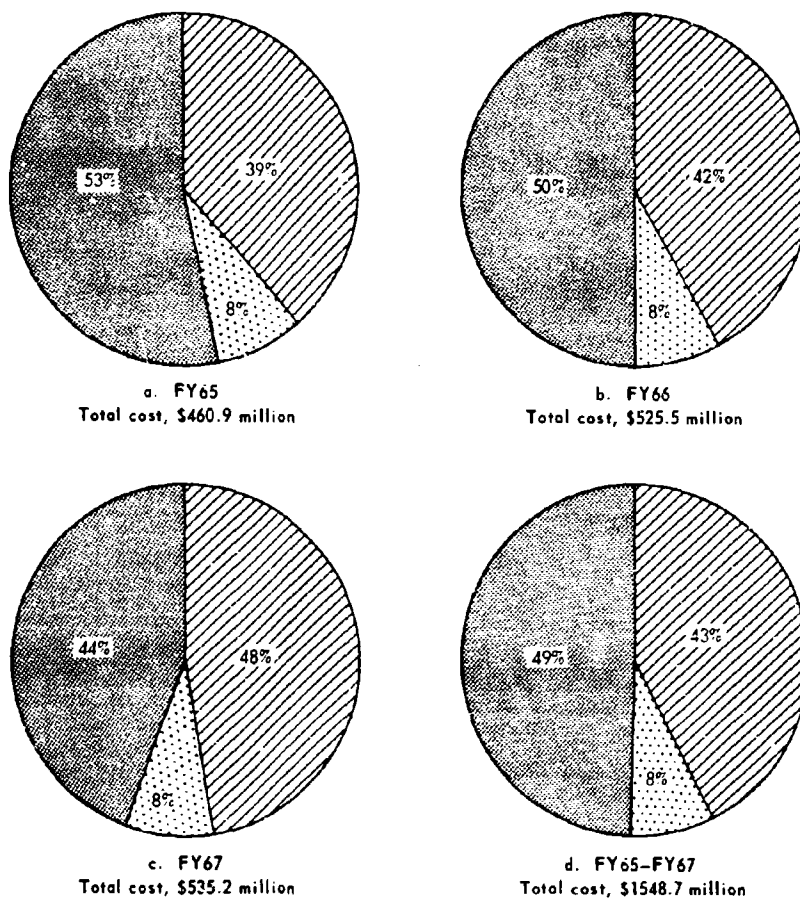
munition during the period (less cost of supply operations). Rifles, carbines, and automatic rifles accounted for about 43 percent of the total expenditures for weapons (less cost of supply operations). Clothing and textiles accounted for 37 percent, and medical supplies accounted for 23 percent of the total expenditures for general supplies (less cost of supply operations). Concurrent with the decrease in US-furnished general supplies (mostly consumables) there was an increase in the RVN expenditures for such materiel.

(C) The significant changes in resource allocations in support of the RVN Army during the period include the following:

(a) A general trend toward increased total expenditures with a peak in FY66

(b) Slight annual decrease in total average annual per capita costs but an annual increase in per capita pay and allowances

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(C) Fig. 19—Percentage Distribution of Estimated Direct Cost of the RVN Army, by Functional Category, FY65-FY67

■ Materiel and maintenance    ▨ Pay and allowances    ▩ Other

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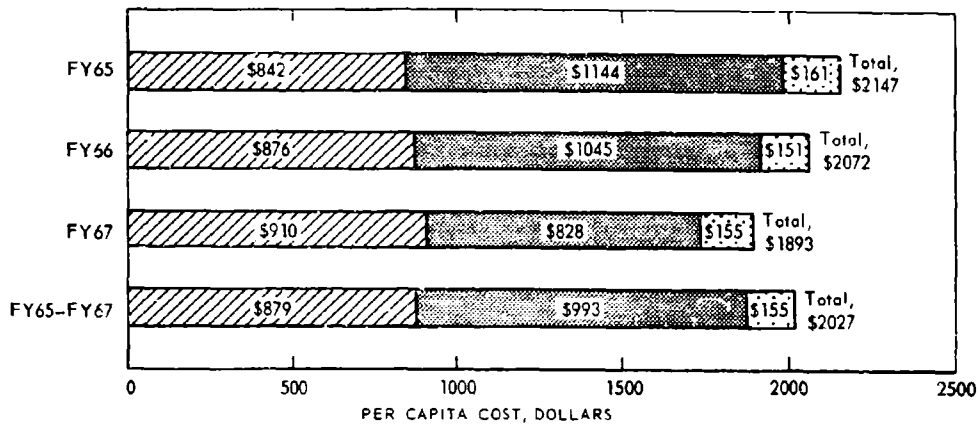
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(c) A continued increase in RVN financial support both in terms of absolute support and in percentage of the total

(d) A sharp peak in ammunition expenditures in FY66

(C) Some of the reasons for these changes follow:

(a) The increase in total expenditures undoubtedly stems basically from the increase in both the strength of the RVN Army and the intensity of combat during the period. However, it is difficult to relate materiel to assigned strength on an annual basis. Materiel for the RVN Army is programmed on the basis of many factors including approved TOEs, authorized strength, and funding levels. The time lag between actual deliveries and approved programs cannot be fully determined from the available data, which are based on construc-



(C) Fig. 20—Estimated Average Annual per Capita Cost of the RVN Army, by Functional Category, FY65-FY67

Based on assigned strength.

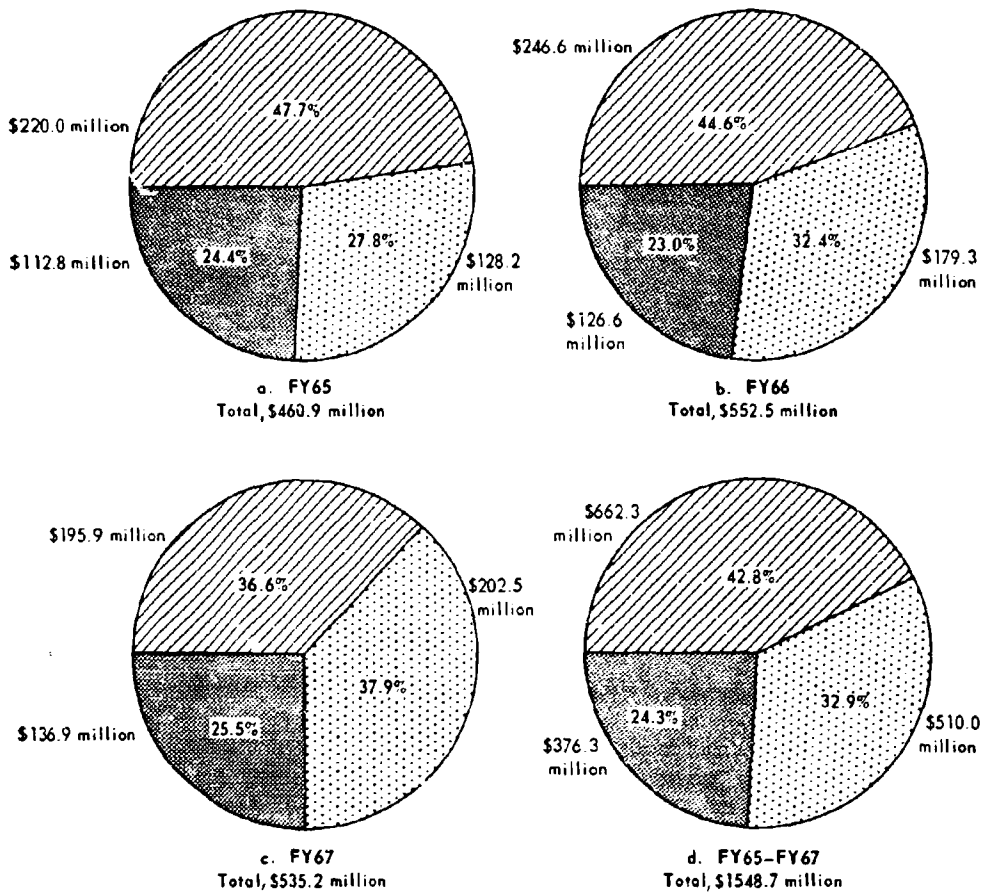
■ Materiel and maintenance    ▨ Pay and allowances    ▤ Other

tive deliveries for all materiel (except ammunition) and not on receipts in country. The available evidence indicates that the bulk of the materiel within the approved program of a given fiscal year is delivered (constructively) the following fiscal year, but some items may not be delivered until several years later. Further, the strength basis used in this study is assigned strength rather than the authorized strength, which is used in programming actions. Another difficulty is the lack of data to permit allocation of materiel shipments among requirements for initial equipment for units, attrition replacement, and modernization.

(b) The slight decrease in annual per capita costs is not significant because of the small range between the extremes. Because of the reasons just cited, variations in annual per capita costs are best judged when evaluated over a number of years as is done in the following section.

(c) The increase in RVN financial support can be accounted for in part by (1) greater efficiency in tax collections; (2) increased economic activity and a greater tax base resulting from increased US economic aid with a fairly

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(C) Fig. 21--Estimated Direct Cost of the RVN Army, by Funding Source, FY65-FY67

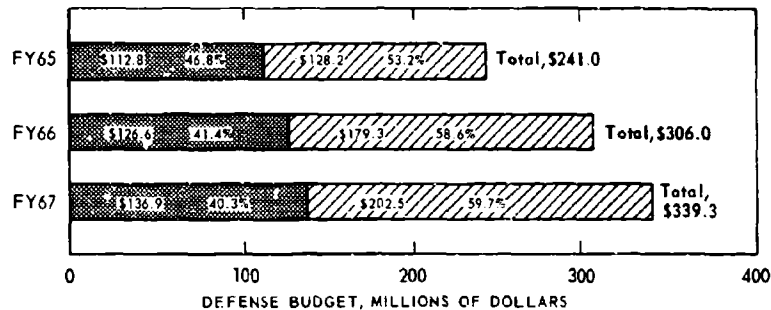
RVN funded   
 US Military funded  
 US support of RVN defense budget

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constant level of US support of the RVN defense budget; and (3) increased allocation of available resources by the RVN to support of the defense budget.

(d) Some of the possible reasons for the peak in the expenditures for ammunition in FY66 are the following: (1) increase in intensity of combat that year; (2) shift of RVN Army units to pacification efforts in FY67; and (3) possible changes in authorized stockage levels. According to a DOD document<sup>14</sup> the number of RVN Army combat battalions was virtually unchanged during the period.



(C) Fig. 22—Estimated RVN Defense Budget for the RVN Army, by Funding Source, FY65–FY67

In millions of dollars.

■ US funded    ▨ RVN funded

### Period FY58–FY67

(U) The figures that follow illustrate the changes in financial support of the RVN Army over the period FY58–FY67. The data reflect estimated actual funded costs and do not include any adjustments to compensate for original acquisition costs, inflation, price variations, or the 1961 change in rate of the RVN piaster from 35 to 60 for \$1 US and subsequent changes in conversion rates.

(U) The estimated financial support of the RVN Army in terms of total cost, funding source, and annual per capita cost by functional category are shown in Figs. 24 to 26.

(U) The total annual cost varied relatively little from FY58–FY64 but about doubled for the period FY65–FY67. This latter period was marked by sharp increases in force size, intensified combat, and greater resources allocated for support of the RVN.

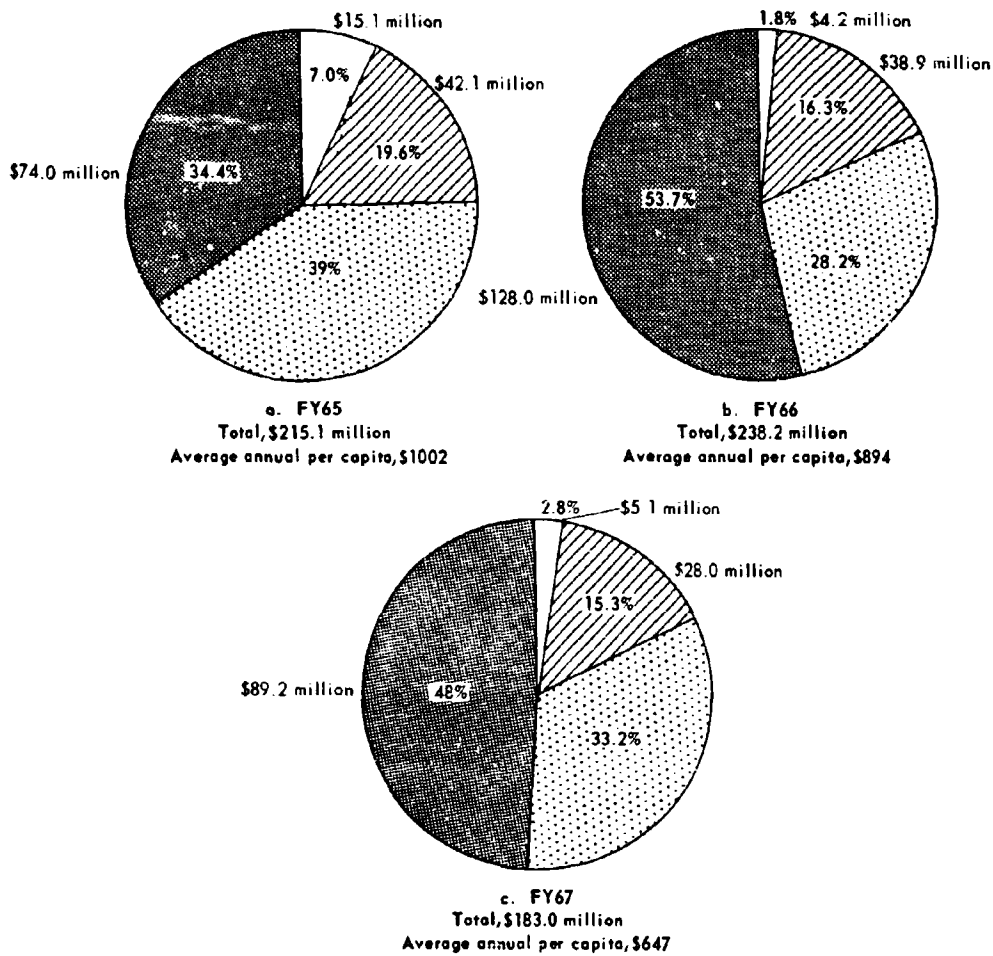
(U) The RVN did not contribute to the financial support of the RVN Army until FY60. Since that year the proportion of RVN contribution to the total cost of the RVN Army has increased annually without any decrease in the total US expenditures in support of the RVN Army. Some of the reasons for this continuing increase in RVN support for the RVN Army were mentioned in the previous section.

(U) During the period, the level of US support of the RVN defense budget for the RVN Army remained virtually constant but generally declined as a proportion of the total cost of support of the RVN Army.

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(C) Fig. 23—Relation of Selected Categories to Total Cost of US Military Assistance Materiel and Maintenance for the RVN Army, FY65-FY67

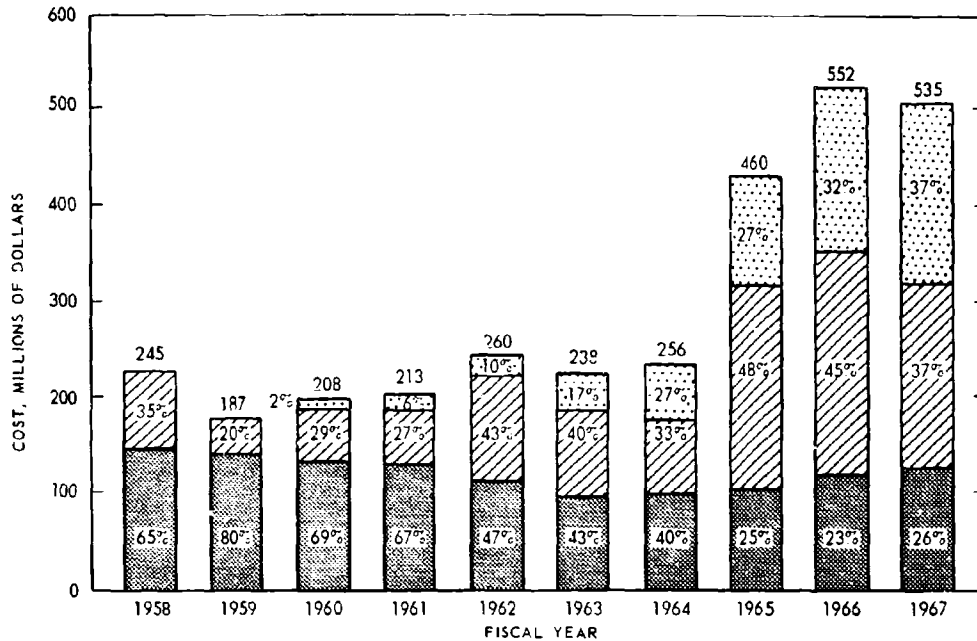
Cost of supply operations to: each category not included.

■ Ammunition □ Weapons ▨ General supplies ▩ Other

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(U) The total average annual per capita cost remained quite stable throughout the period despite sharp increases in the total annual cost of support of the RVN Army. The minor peak in 1958 was probably due to reequipment of the RVN Army following the establishment of the RVN. The low in FY63 was probably caused by the change in conversion rate of the piaster. The higher per capita costs in FY65-FY67 were probably due to inflation and the increase in the average pay and allowances.

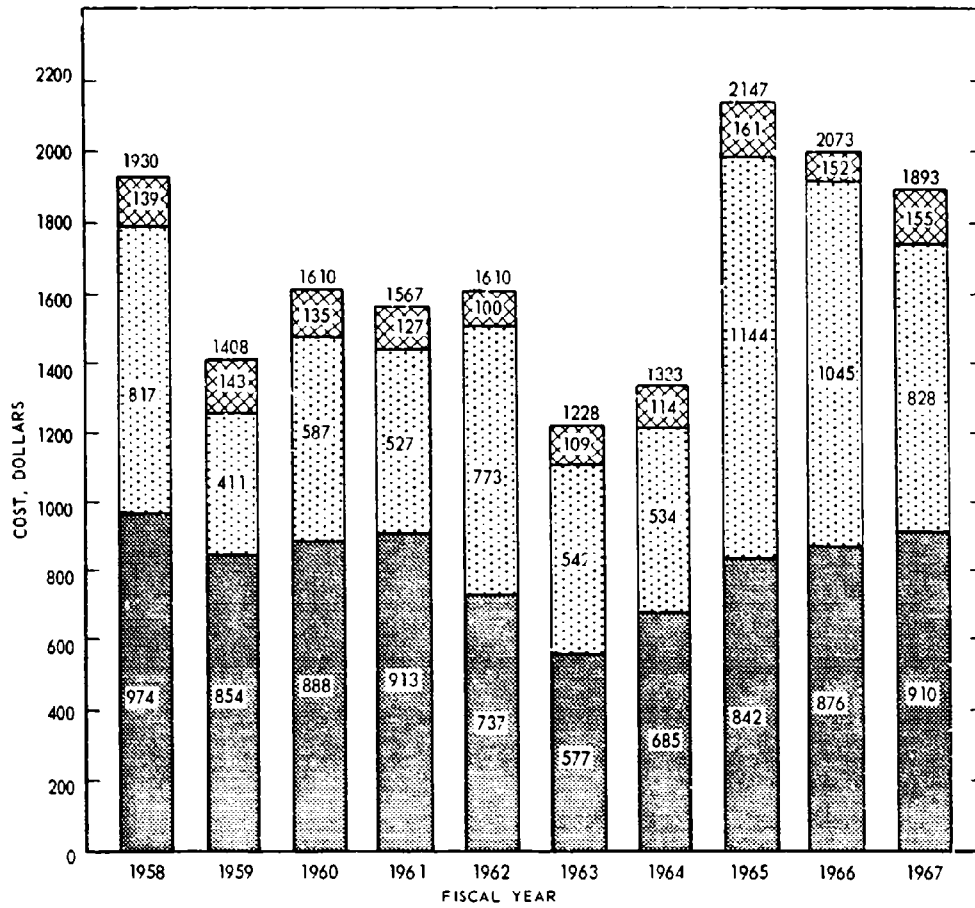


(C) Fig. 24—Estimated Total Cost of Support of RVN Army, by Funding Source, FY58-FY67

RVN support US military assistance support US support of RVN budget

(C) The major variable in the annual per capita cost is the cost of pay and allowances. The unweighted average total annual per capita cost for the period is \$1680 with a coefficient of variation of 19 percent (standard deviation, \$316). If pay and allowances are excluded, the unweighted average annual per capita cost drops to \$959 with a coefficient of variation of 14 percent (standard deviation, \$137). The increase in per capita costs for pay and allowances starting in FY63 is due to the general increase in pay scales and the introduction of a cost-of-living factor. Many evaluations of the RVN armed forces have included comments on the low pay and allowances for RVN personnel. The apparently high per capita costs for pay and allowances during the period FY58-FY61 are a reflection of the high dollar value of the piaster as compared with later years. The data for FY62 and FY63 are perturbed by the change in piaster conversion rate that took place in CY62.

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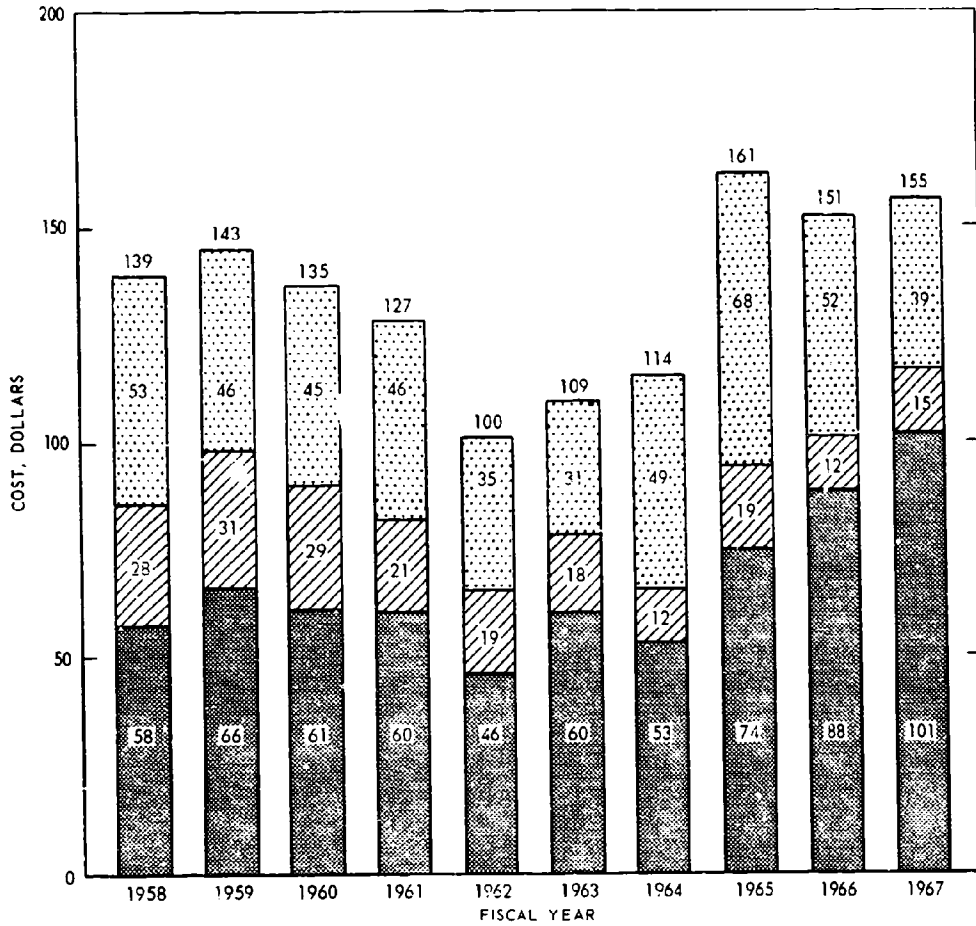
Fig. 25—Total RVN Army Annual per Capita Cost,  
by Expenditure Category, FY58-FY67

Other costs Materiel and maintenance Pay and allowances

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(U) The major variation within materiel and maintenance costs over the 10-year period was the expenditures on ammunition. The extent of this variation is shown in Figs. 27 and 28, which show ammunition expenditures in terms of total and per capita costs.

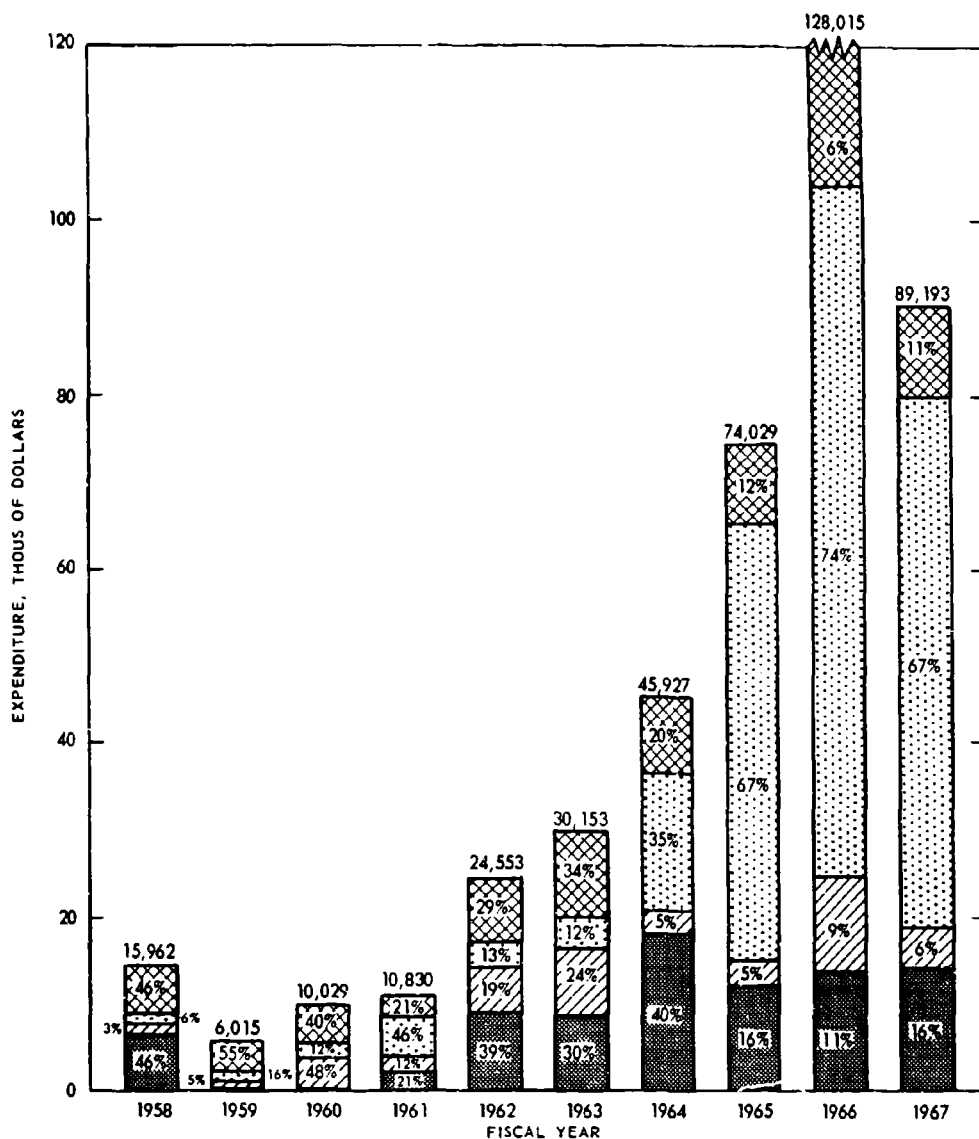


(C) Fig. 26—Annual RVN Army per Capita Expenditure for "Other Costs," by Type, FY58-FY67

Miscellaneous
  Training
  Construction

(C) The increase in ammunition expenditures parallels the increased intensity of combat in the RVN. The sharp increase in the proportion of expenditures for artillery ammunition during the period FY64-FY67 probably reflects the combat tactics employed.

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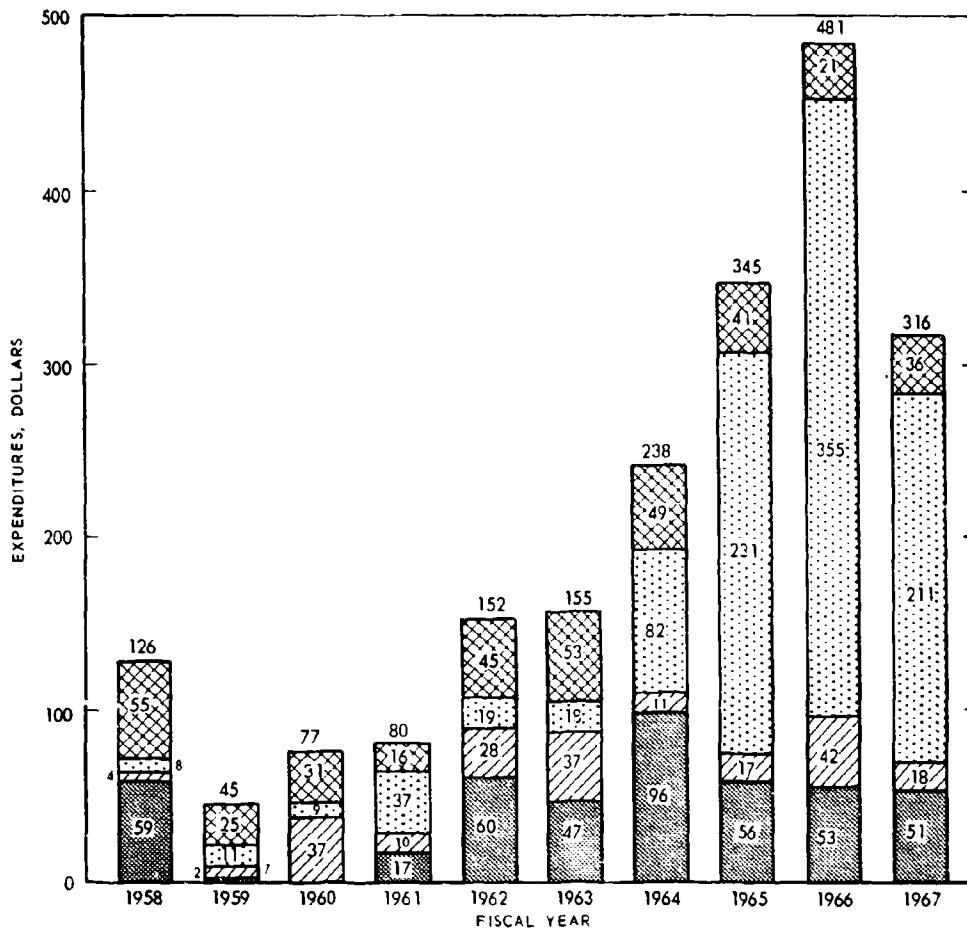


(C) Fig. 27—Estimated Total RVN Army Ammunition Expenditures, by Weapon Type, FY58–FY67

Other Artillery 60- and 81-mm mortar Small arms

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Fig. 28—Annual RVN Army per Capita Ammunition Expenditures,  
by Weapon Type, FY58–FY67

Costs of fuzes and primers are included in "other" before FY65,  
and afterward in "artillery."

Other Artillery 60- and 81-mm mortar Small arms

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## Chapter 3

### REGIONAL FORCES AND POPULAR FORCES

#### BACKGROUND

(U) The Regional Forces, called the "Civil Guard" up to May 1964, were formed in April 1955. They were designed to be an armed and uniformed paramilitary force to maintain law and order in rural areas and collect information on subversive elements. Operationally the Regional Forces are designed to be employed within the protective shield of the RVN Army. Regional Forces personnel are normally recruited and stationed in their home provinces.

(U) The Popular Forces, called the "Self-Defense Corps" until May 1964, were also formed in April 1955. They were designed as an armed rural militia to protect villagers against the Viet Cong and other dissident elements. The Popular Forces are generally stationed in the villages where they are recruited.

(C) Both the Regional Forces and Popular Forces were initially under the control of the President of the RVN and his appointees such as the province chiefs. Control of both forces was gradually passed to the RVN Joint General Staff (JGS) and the RVN Army. In the latter part of 1966, command of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces was integrated into the RVN Army structure.<sup>10</sup> Despite the nominal command assumed by the RVN JGS and Army, the Regional Forces and Popular Forces remained under the control of the province and district chiefs respectively.

(U) Reference 1 contains a brief account of the early development of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces and Ref 10 contains an evaluation of their effectiveness and operations.

(U) Figure 29 shows the ostensible control of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces at the end of 1966.

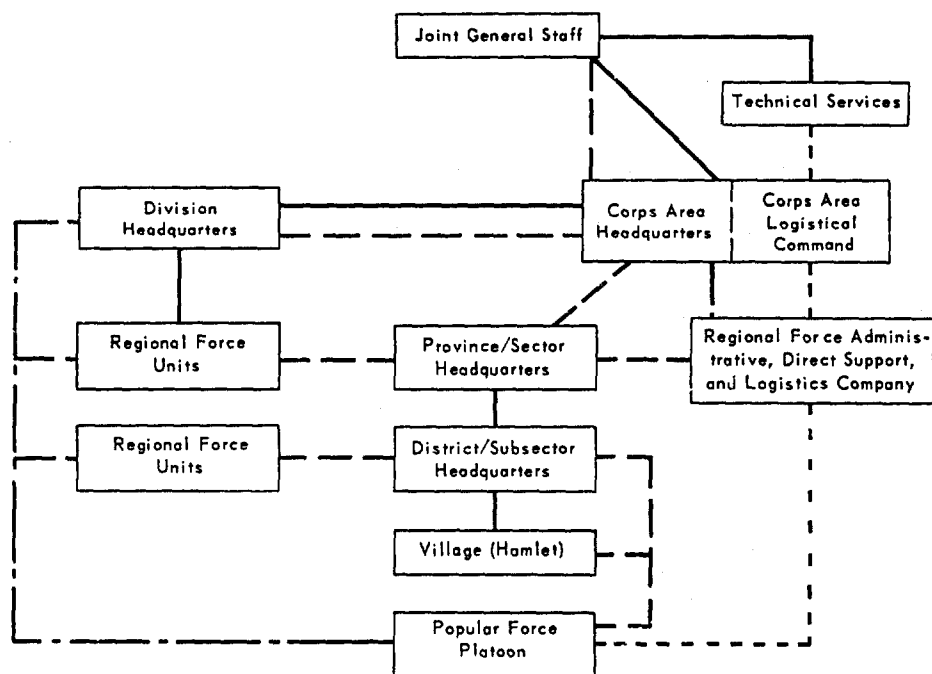
#### FORCE STRUCTURE

(C) The Regional Forces force structure has changed considerably since its formation. In FY65 the major units of the Regional Forces were rifle companies, boat companies for inland waterway patrol, and separate mechanized platoons. There were no significant changes in major force-structure units by the end of FY67. On 30 June 1967 there were 832 Regional Forces rifle companies with a total assigned strength of 136,151.<sup>15</sup> Detailed data on the authorized

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force structure of the Regional Forces and organizational charts and major equipment items of selected Regional Forces units are in App D.

(C) The Popular Forces force structure has changed little since its formation. Until the end of 1966 the Popular Forces consisted of separate rifle squads and platoons. At about the beginning of 1967 the separate squads



(C) Fig. 29—Control of Regional Forces and Popular Forces<sup>10</sup>

——— Command                      - - - - Logistical support  
 - - - Operational control       - - - Supervision

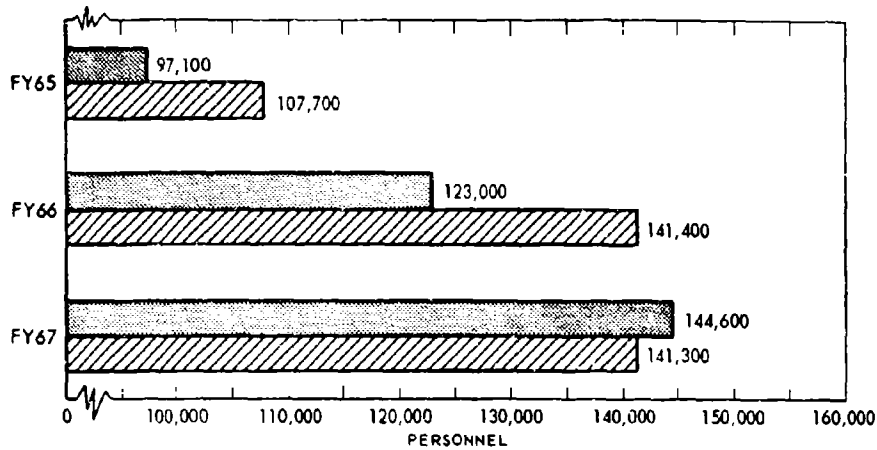
were combined into platoons to improve control. However, this reorganization did not change the employment of Popular Forces units.<sup>10</sup> On 30 June 1967 there were 4028 Popular Forces platoons with a total assigned strength of 141,339.<sup>15</sup> Detailed data on the authorized force structure of the Popular Forces and the organizational charts and major equipment items of the Popular Forces platoon and squad are in App D.

## STRENGTH

(C) The assigned strength of the Regional Forces increased at a fairly regular rate during the period. The reported assigned strength of the Popular Forces dropped in FY66 and then increased in FY67 but not to the high reported in FY65. The FY65 high was probably due to absorption of the Armed Combat Youth (a semiparamilitary organization) and to inflated strength reports. Figures 30 and 31 show respectively the monthly average and year-end assigned

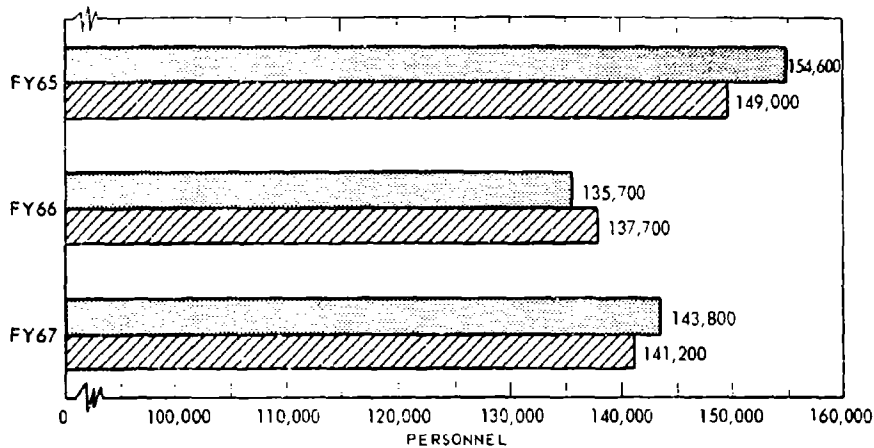


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(C) Fig. 30—Regional Forces Monthly Average and Year-End Assigned Strengths, FY65–FY67

Monthly average      Year-end



(C) Fig. 31—Popular Forces Monthly Average and Year-End Assigned Strengths, FY65–FY67

Monthly average      Year-end

strengths of the Regional Forces and the Popular Forces for the period FY65–FY67. Detailed data on assigned strengths, including distribution by corps areas, are in App D.

(C) Both the Regional Forces and Popular Forces have been characterized by high personnel turnover, particularly because of desertions. In FY66 the average monthly rates for desertions per 1000 men for the Regional Forces and the Popular Forces were 13 and 28 respectively. Detailed data on personnel turnover are in App D.

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### SUPPORT OF THE REGIONAL FORCES AND POPULAR FORCES

(C) The Regional Forces and Popular Forces were first supported entirely by the RVN. Some US support was extended by the International Cooperation Agency (ICA) (a predecessor of AID) in the period 1956-1961. US military assistance support for both the Regional Forces and Popular Forces first started in 1961.

(U) The RVN support of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces is funded through the national defense budget. Before 1965 this support was funded through the Ministry of the Interior.

(U) Some support of the Popular Forces is extended by the Catholic Relief Services.<sup>16</sup> This support is discussed further in the paragraph on pay and personal allowances.

### LOGISTICS

(U) Logistical functions for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces are performed by the provincial administrative and direct-support logistical company. Functions include requisitioning, transporting, and issuing supplies, equipment, and materials; transporting troops; and second-echelon and limited third-echelon maintenance of the equipment of the supported units. Limited medical treatment is also provided. The company is logistically supported by the RVN Army technical service direct-support units and field depots of the Area Logistical Command.<sup>10</sup> The organization of a typical administrative and direct-support logistics company is shown in App D.

(C) The logistical support extended to the Regional Forces and Popular Forces has generally been considered to be poor because of low priority and inadequate support given by the RVN Army.<sup>10</sup>

### MATERIEL AND MAINTENANCE

(C) Furnishing the Regional Forces and Popular Forces with adequate materiel has been a constant problem since their initial formation. The Regional Forces have always been poorly equipped compared with the RVN Army, and the Popular Forces have always been poorly equipped compared with the Regional Forces. The major deficiencies have been low percentage of equipment on hand compared with that authorized, issue of obsolescent weapons and equipment, and poor maintenance.<sup>10</sup>

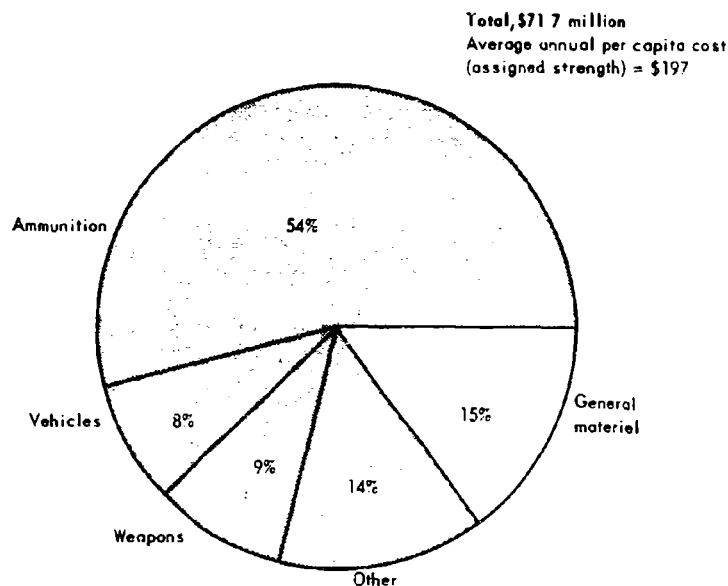
(U) There are virtually no data on costs of maintenance, repair parts, and attrition replacement specifically for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces. These costs are included in the data on the RVN Army described in the previous chapter, and it is surmised that they are less than 3 percent of the total RVN Army expenditures for materiel and maintenance. Figures 32 and 33 show the estimated total expenditures for materiel and maintenance for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces respectively. Detailed data are in App D.

(U) The available data on materiel and maintenance costs funded through the RVN defense budget for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces are based

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on technical services and do not permit separation of materiel and maintenance costs. Additionally, some of these costs were estimated by allocating procedures described in App B. The US provided about 30 and 38 percent of the materiel and maintenance costs for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces respectively, furnished through the RVN defense budget.



(C) Fig. 32—Estimated Total Cost of Materiel and Maintenance for the Regional Forces, by Materiel Category and Source of Funds, FY65–FY67

- ☐ US military assistance materiel, \$66.3 million (85%)  
☐ Funded by RVN defense budget

(U) Materiel furnished by the US for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces came under RVN custody and control on arrival in the RVN in the same manner previously described for the RVN Army. The available data on inventories and densities of weapons, vehicles, and selected signal items of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces are in App D.

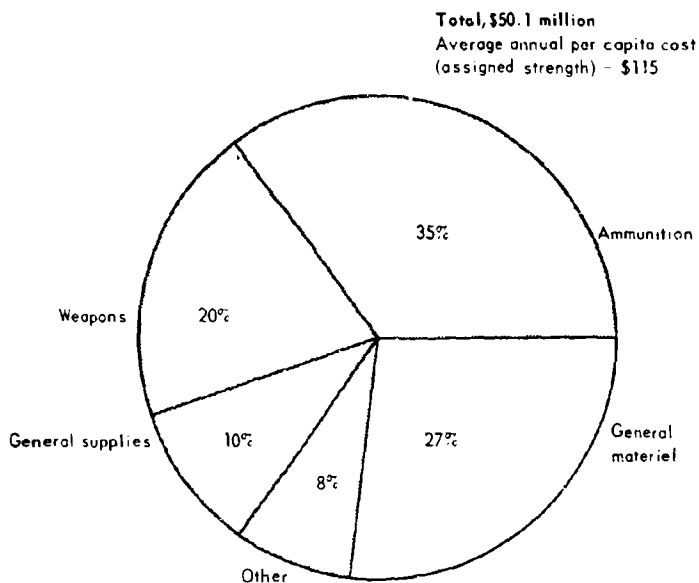
### CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF FACILITIES, LESS TRAINING FACILITIES

(U) The RVN defense budgets provided funds for construction and maintenance of facilities for both the Regional Forces and the Popular Forces. However, there were no expenditures of these funds for construction during

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CY64 and CY65. In subsequent years some construction funds were expended for the Regional Forces but none for the Popular Forces except for training facilities, which are covered in the subsequent paragraph on training.<sup>17</sup> Most of the construction consisted of cantonments. The reasons for the nonexpenditure of construction budget funds are beyond the purview of this study.



(C) Fig. 33—Estimated Total Cost of Materiel and Maintenance for the Popular Forces, by Materiel Category and Source of Funds, FY65-FY67

- ☐ US military assistance materiel, \$36.5 million (73%)
- ☐ Funded by RVN defense budget

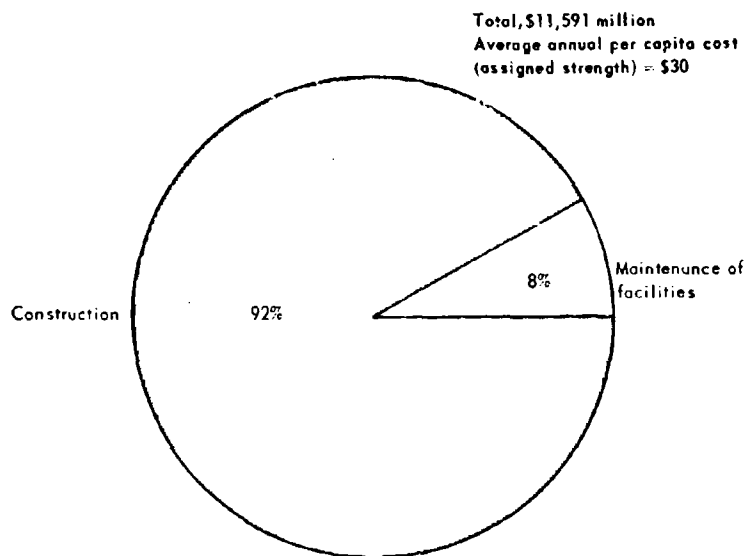
(U) US military assistance funds were used for construction of facilities for the Regional Forces only. The US support of the RVN defense budget for construction for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces covered only half the costs of construction for the Regional Forces provided by RVN defense budget funds. These funds were less than 1 percent of the total cost of all construction.

(U) Figure 34 shows the estimated cost of construction and maintenance of facilities (less training centers) for the Regional Forces. Detailed data are in App D.

### TRAINING

(U) Expenditures for training of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces were primarily for in-country costs. Training outside the RVN was negligible.

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(U) Fig. 34—Estimated Cost of Construction and Maintenance of Facilities for Regional Forces, FY65-FY67

Less training facilities.

☐ US funded ☐ RVN funded

The largest single item of cost was construction of training facilities. Figures 35 and 36 show the total estimated cost of training for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces respectively. The costs are probably a little understated because it is probable that some training aids and equipment were made available from RVN Army stocks. Detailed data on costs of training are in App D.

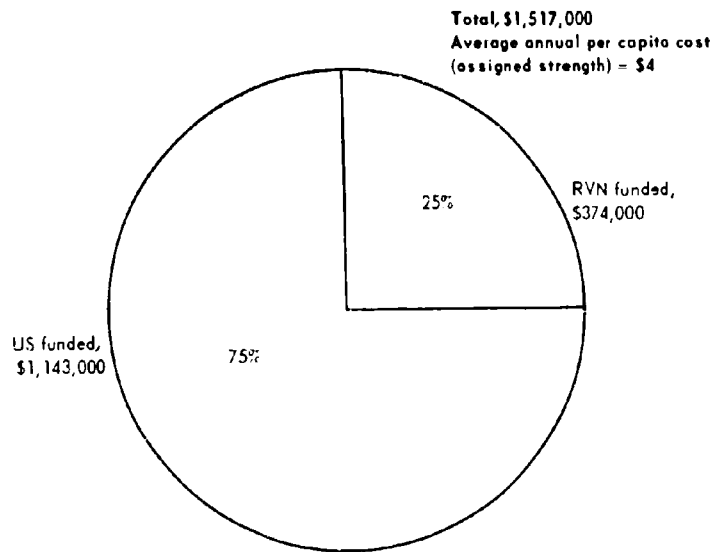
#### PAY AND ALLOWANCES

(U) The military pay system for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces is as complex as the RVN Army system previously described. During the period, the differences in pay scales for the Regional Forces and the RVN Army were reduced. However, pay and allowances for the Popular Forces lagged behind those for comparable ranks of the Regional Forces and the RVN Army. Detailed data on the Regional Forces and Popular Forces pay scales and system are contained in a MACV handbook.<sup>18</sup>

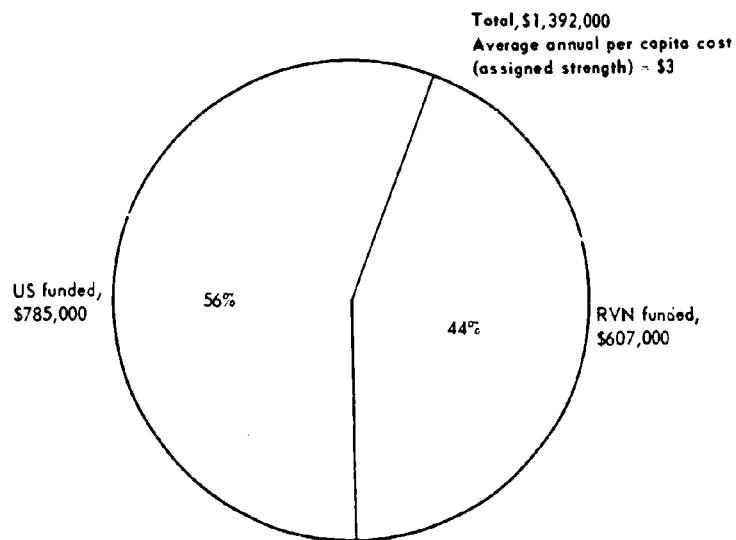
(U) Popular Forces personnel receive additional allowances in the form of US surplus agricultural commodities distributed through the Catholic Relief Services.<sup>16</sup> The cost of these commodities is considered in this study to be a form of pay.

(U) Figures 37 and 38 show the costs of pay and allowances for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces respectively. Detailed data are in App D.

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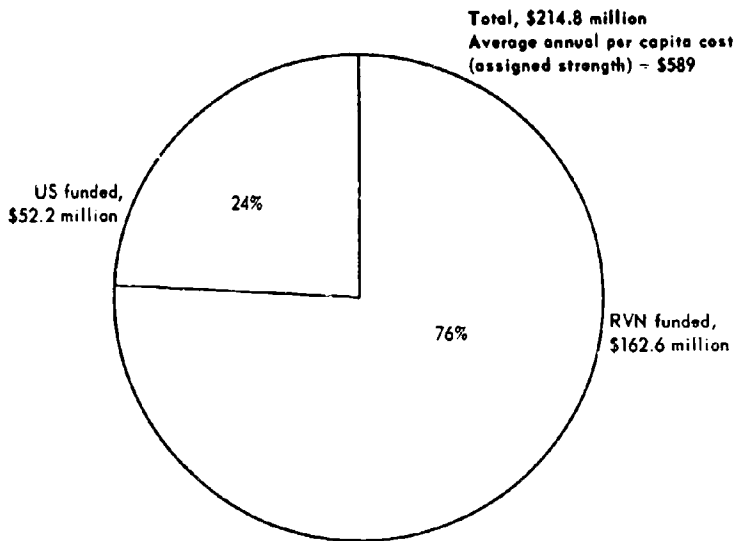
(C) Fig. 35—Estimated Cost of Regional Forces Training,  
by Source of Funds, FY65-FY67



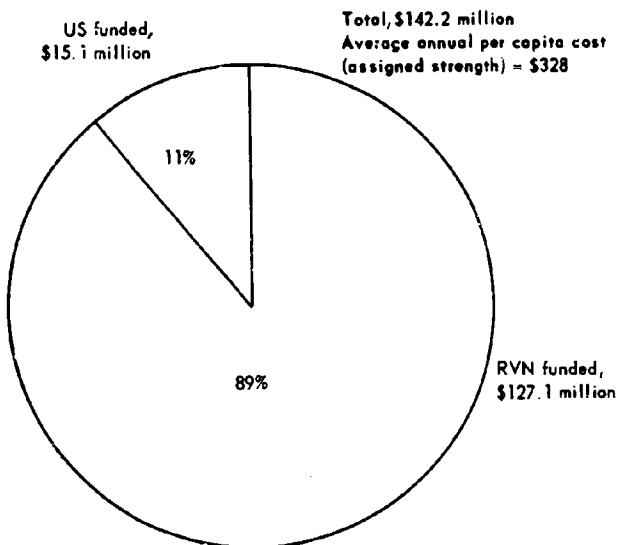
(C) Fig. 36—Estimated Cost of Popular Forces Training,  
by Source of Funds, FY65-FY67

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(C) Fig. 37—Estimated Cost of Regional Forces Pay and Personal Allowances, by Source of Funds, FY65-FY67



(C) Fig. 38—Estimated Cost of Popular Forces Pay and Personal Allowances, by Source of Funds, FY65-FY67

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## OTHER COSTS

(C) In addition to the costs previously described, there were others for a variety of miscellaneous activities and agencies. These costs were determined primarily on a pro rata basis as described in App B and are estimated to be about \$383,000 for the Regional Forces and about \$253,000 for the Popular Forces for FY65-FY67. Detailed data are in App D.

## RECAPITULATION AND ANALYSIS

### General

(U) The recapitulation and analysis that follow cover the period FY65-FY67 in some detail and the major trends for the period FY58-FY67. The data used for the FY58-FY64 period are from Refs 2 and 3 and are considerably less complete and less accurate than the data for the FY65-FY67 period. Detailed data for the latter period are in App D.

### FY65-FY67

(U) Figures 39 and 40 show the estimated cost of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces in terms of total cost, distribution by major category, and annual per capita costs.

(U) During the period, the total expenditures for both the Regional Forces and the Popular Forces increased steadily. However, the most significant increase was for pay and allowances as a result of the efforts to make compensation more realistic in relation to cost of living and closer to RVN Army compensation scales. The piaster increase in expenditures for pay and allowances both in absolute costs and in percentage of total costs is not fully shown because of the masking by the change in conversion rate from 60 to 80 piasters to the US dollar in 1967 and the fact that most of the expenditures for pay and allowances came from RVN sources.

(U) The data shown for FY65 highlight one of the difficulties in relating expenditures to assigned strength. These difficulties were discussed in the previous chapter. In FY65 (late 1964) large numbers of Armed Combat Youth, a semiparamilitary organization, were incorporated into the Popular Forces. However, this incorporation apparently was a paper exercise resulting in a false, inflated strength. A more accurate strength accounting in the following fiscal year resulted in a significant decrease in the average assigned strength.<sup>2</sup>

(U) Figures 41 and 42 show the sources for support of the Regional Forces and the Popular Forces respectively.

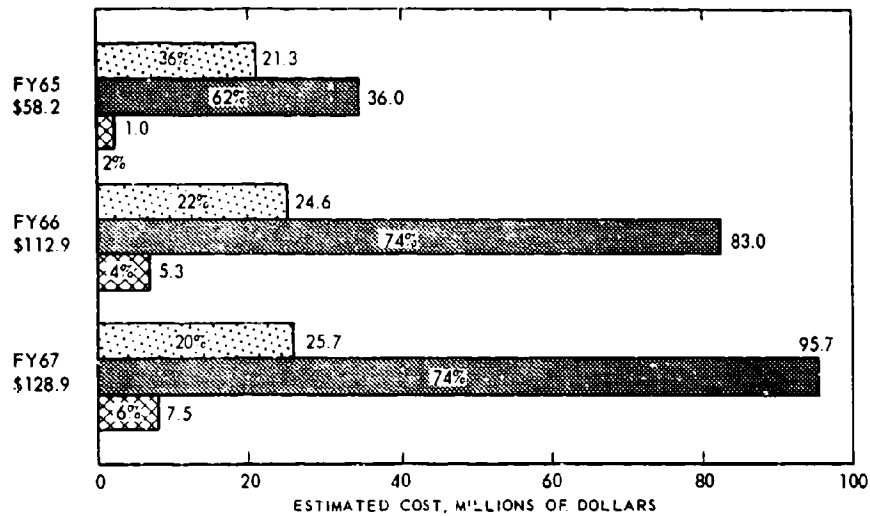
(U) The increased US interest in raising the effectiveness of the Regional Forces and the Popular Forces during the period is reflected by the greater amounts of assistance each year both in military assistance and in support of the RVN defense budget for the Regional Forces and the Popular Forces. Despite the US support increases, there were some decreases in the support furnished by the RVN in FY66 and FY67.

(U) During the period there were significant variations in the materiel provided for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces. Figures 43 and 44 show

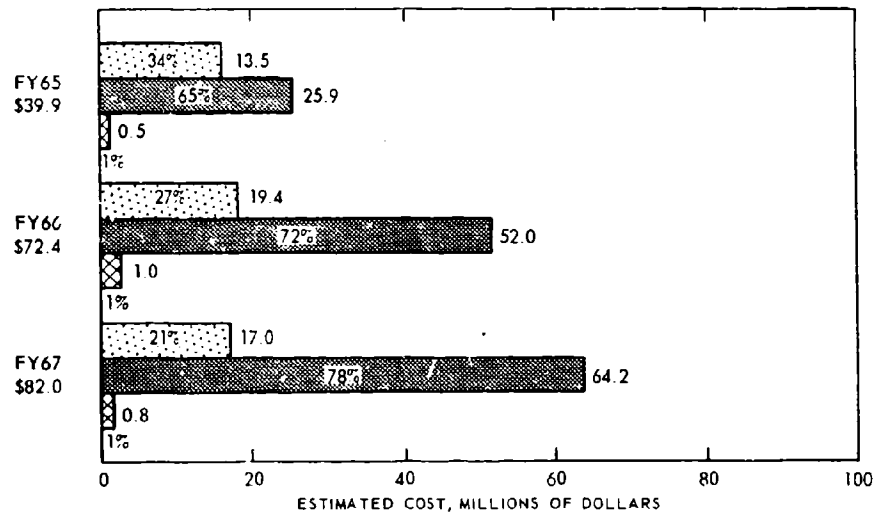
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a. Regional Forces



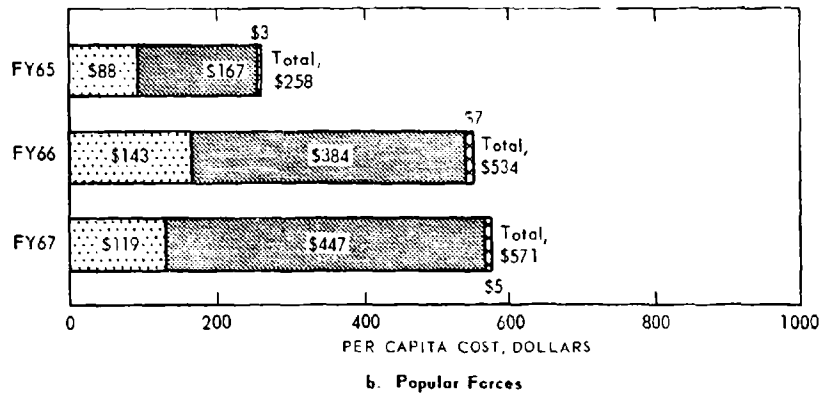
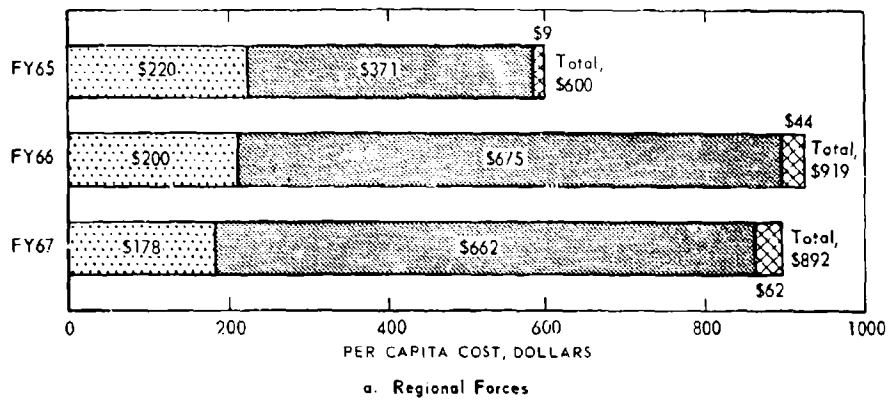
b. Popular Forces

(C) Fig. 39—Estimated Cost of Regional Forces and Popular Forces, by Functional Category, FY65–FY67  
In millions of dollars.

 Materiel and maintenance
  Pay and allowances
  Other

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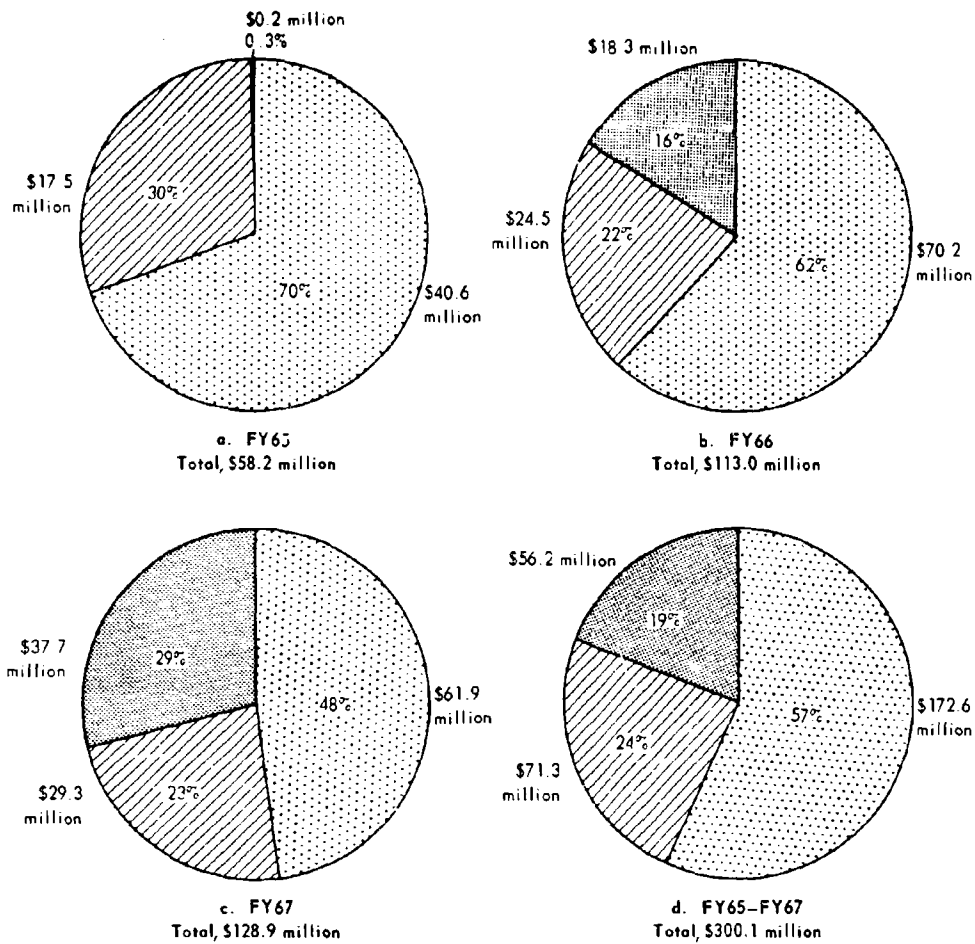
(C) Fig. 40—Estimated Average per Capita Cost of Regional Forces and Popular Forces, by Functional Category, FY65–FY67

Based on assigned strength.

Material and maintenance Pay and allowances Other

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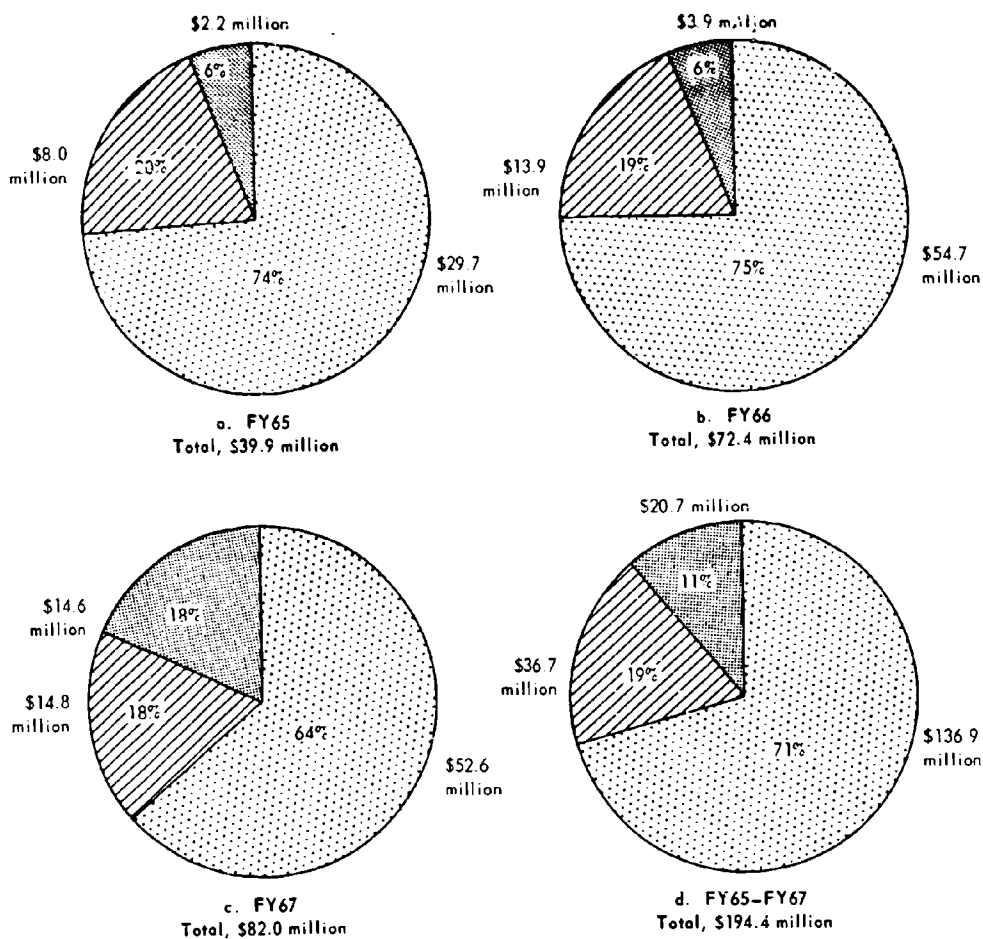


(C) Fig. 41—Estimated Cost of the Regional Forces, by Funding Source, FY65-FY67

RVN funded US military funded US support of RVN defense budget

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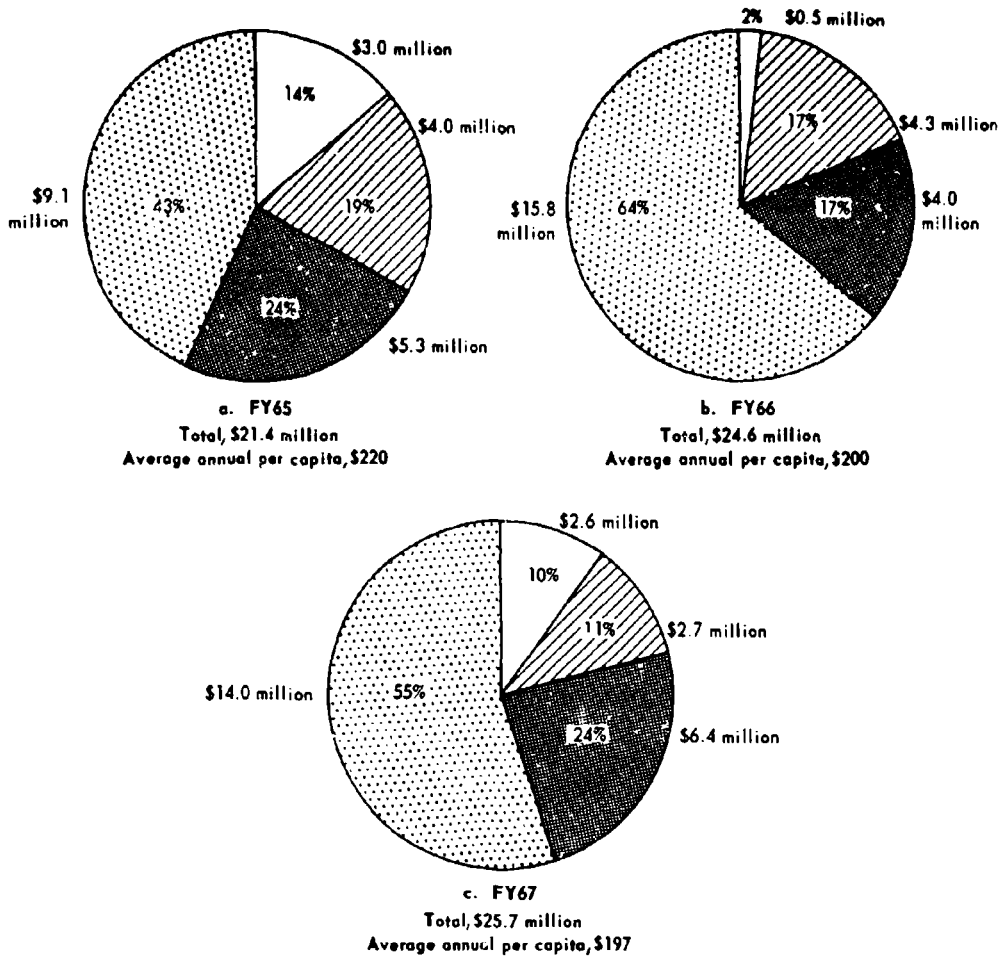
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Fig. 42—Estimated Cost of the Popular Forces,  
by Funding Source, FY65-FY67

RVN funded    US military assistance  
US support of RVN defense budget

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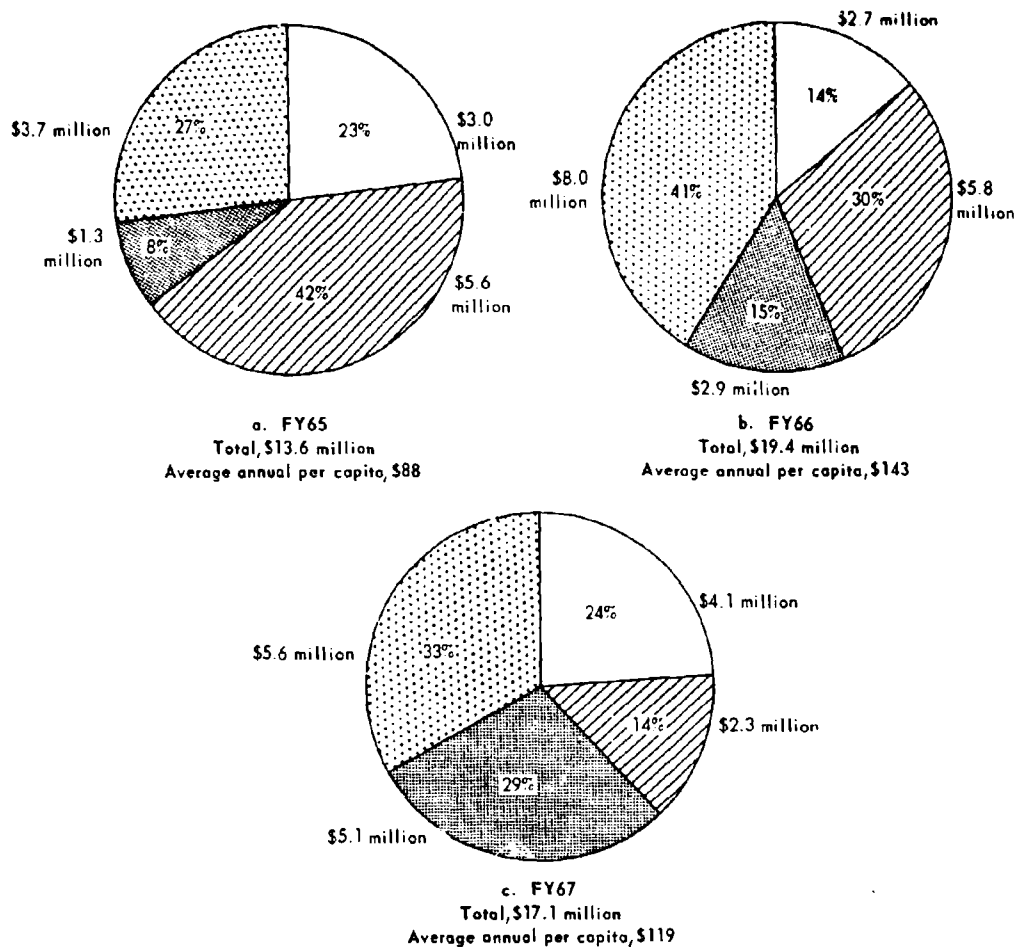


(C) Fig. 43—Distribution of Materiel Costs of the Regional Forces, FY65-FY67

Legend:   
Ammunition (dotted)   
Weapons (white)   
Material funded by RVN defense budget (diagonal lines)   
Other (solid black)

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(C) Fig. 44—Distribution of Materiel Costs of the Popular Forces, FY65–FY67

Ammunition
  Weapons
  Materiel funded by RVN defense budget
  Other

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these variations for the Regional Forces and the Popular Forces respectively. The estimated cost of materiel furnished by the RVN was virtually constant during FY65 and FY66. There was a decrease in FY67 for both the Regional Forces and the Popular Forces.

(U) FY66 represented a peak for ammunition expenditures with a small decrease the following year. This trend and its probable causes parallel those of the RVN Army described in the previous chapter. The expenditures indicated for the RVN include US budget-support funds.

#### Period FY58-FY67

(U) The figures that follow illustrate the changes in support of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces over the period FY58-FY67. The data reflect estimated actual funded costs and do not include any adjustments to compensate for original-acquisition costs, inflation, price variations, or the 1961 change in conversion rate of the RVN piaster from 35 to 60 for \$1 US and subsequent changes in conversion rates.

(U) The data for FY58-FY64 are considered less reliable than the data for the years following because RVN support for the Regional Forces and the Popular Forces was funded by Ministry of the Interior budgets through CY64 and the available data on such budgets are not as complete as on the Ministry of Defense budgets.<sup>2</sup> The data on FY58-FY63 also do not include expenditures for ammunition. The earliest available estimates of expenditures for ammunition for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces cover FY64.

(U) The estimated financial support of the Regional Forces in terms of total cost, funding source, and annual per capita cost by functional category is shown in Figs. 45 and 46.

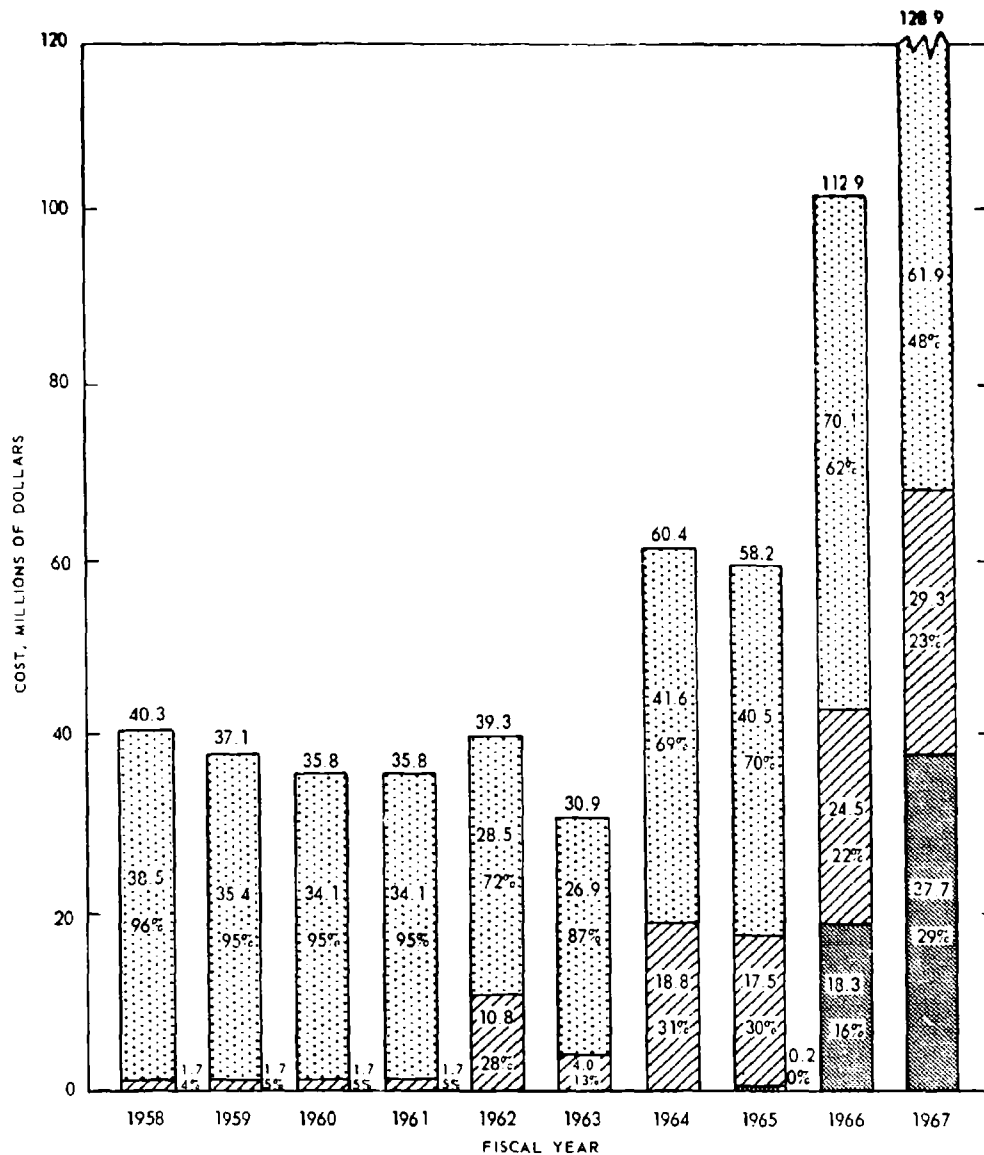
(U) Until FY64 the total cost of the Regional Forces remained fairly constant with most of the financial resources provided by the RVN. Consistent US support first became significant in FY64, and the level of such support increased sharply in FY66 and FY67. This increase undoubtedly reflected the growing concern of the US in increasing the effectiveness of the Regional Forces.

(U) The annual per capita cost of the Regional Forces has been quite stable except for FY63. The available data indicate that the estimated US military assistance furnished for the Regional Forces that year was unusually low.<sup>2</sup> This may be because of the lag between programming and delivery or a low estimate resulting from insufficient data. It is surmised that the US military assistance materiel actually furnished that year was greater but was recorded in the data for the RVN Army. The coefficient of variation in annual per capita cost for the period FY58-FY62 (no data on ammunition expenditures) is only 13 percent with an unweighted average of \$703 (standard deviation, \$90). The coefficient of variation in annual per capita cost for the period FY64-FY67 (estimated ammunition expenditures included) is 19 percent with an unweighted average of \$780 (standard deviation, \$152).

(U) The largest variable in the annual per capita cost of the Regional Forces, as in the case of the RVN Army but to a greater degree, is pay and allowances.

(U) The estimated financial support of the Popular Forces in terms of total cost, funding source, and annual per capita cost by functional category is shown in Figs. 47 and 48.

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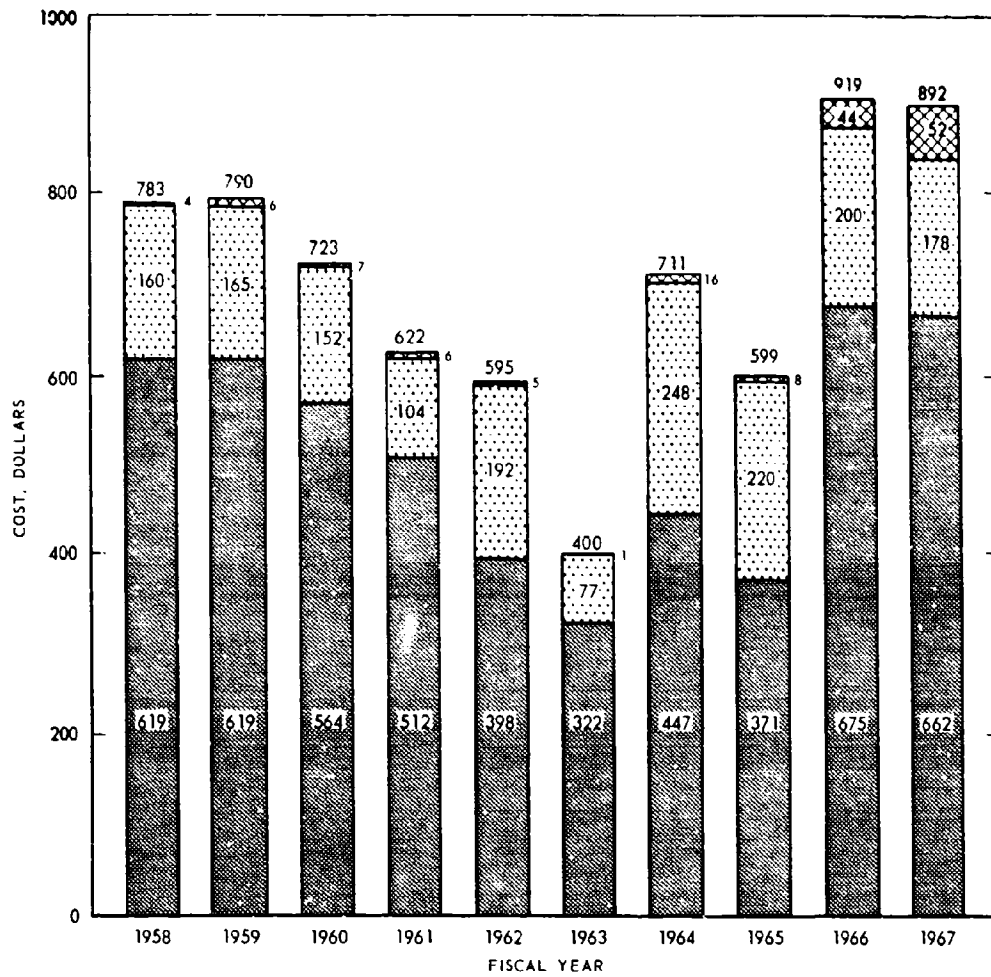
(C) Fig. 45—Estimated Total Cost of Support of the Regional Forces, by Funding Source, FY58–FY67

RVN support
  US military assistance support
  US support of RVN defense budget

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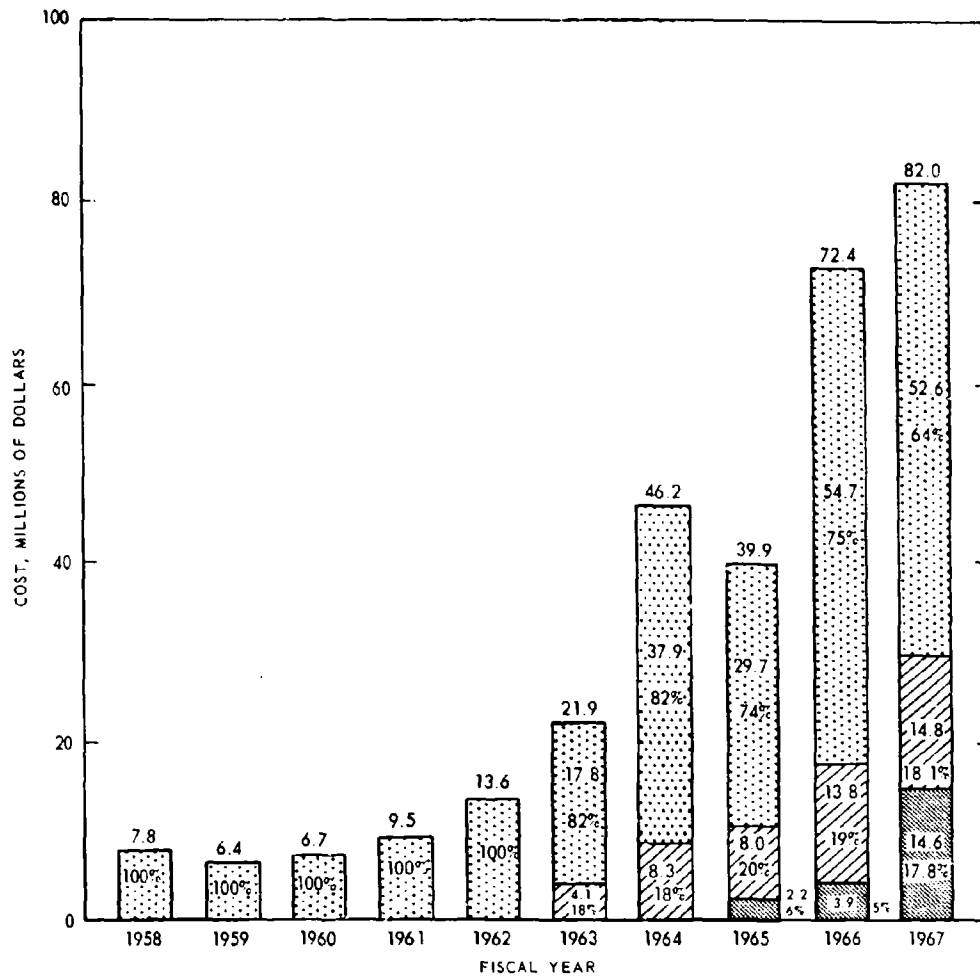


(C) Fig. 46—Total Annual per Capita Cost of the Regional Forces, by Expenditure Category, FY58-FY67

Other Materiel and maintenance Pay and allowances

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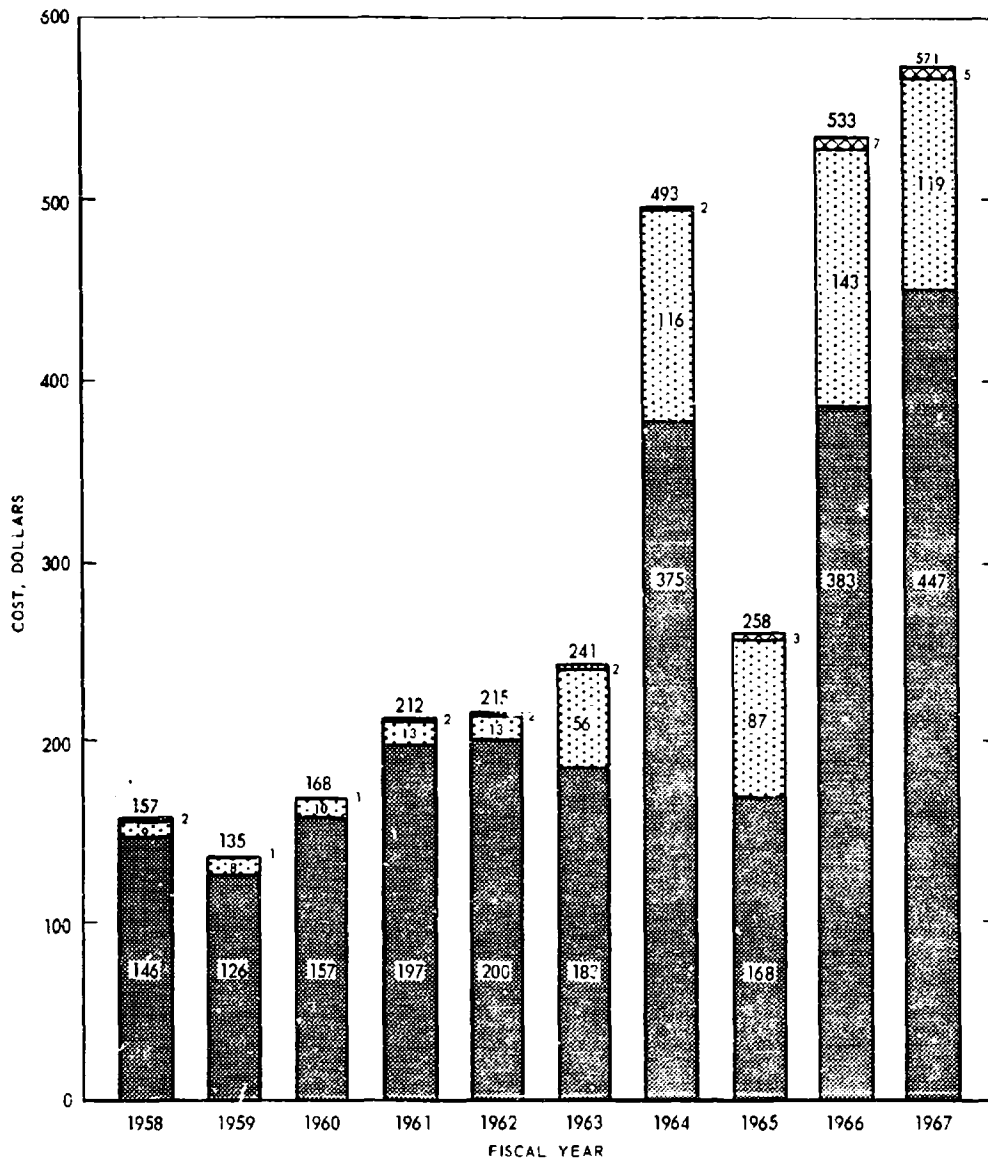
(C) Fig. 47—Estimated Total Cost of Support of the Popular Forces, by Funding Source, FY58–FY67

Does not include ammunition expenditures for FY58–FY63;  
FY65–FY67 includes Catholic Relief Services.

RVN support US military assistance US support of RVN defense budget

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(C) Fig. 48—Total Annual per Capita Cost of the Popular Forces, by Expenditure Category, FY58–FY67

Does not include ammunition expenditures for FY58–FY63.

Other Materiel and maintenance Pay and allowances

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(U) Until FY62 the Popular Forces were completely supported by the RVN. US support has increased constantly since its start in FY63 and reached 36 percent of the total in FY67 but was considerably less than the US support extended to the Regional Forces and the RVN Army. The sharp increase in total and per capita expenditures for the Popular Forces starting in FY64 reflected the increased concern with the effectiveness of Popular Force units.

(U) The annual per capita costs of the Popular Forces for the period FY57-FY63 must be viewed with some reservations. It is surmised that the strength reports for that period are rather unreliable, and there are no data on ammunition expenditures. For this period the unweighted average is \$188 with a coefficient of variation of 27 percent (standard deviation, \$50.70). This relatively large coefficient of variation reflects, nevertheless, the increasing level of total support, particularly in FY63. The annual per capita cost does become stable for the period FY64-FY67 when FY65 is excluded for the reasons previously discussed. In this period (estimated ammunition expenditures included) the unweighted annual average is \$532 with a coefficient of variation of only 7 percent (standard deviation, \$39).

(U) The largest variable in the annual per capita cost, as with the Regional Forces, is pay and allowances.

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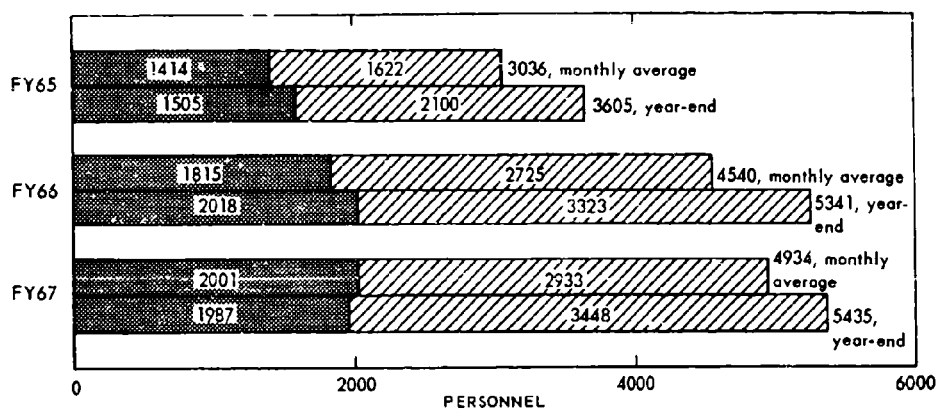
### US ARMY ADVISORY PROGRAM

#### INTRODUCTION

(U) The US Army Advisory Program during the period was designed to provide advisor units to installations and units of the RVN Army, Regional Forces, and Popular Forces and to the RVN province (sector) and district (subsector) governments. This study is restricted to field advisors and does not consider personnel assigned to HQ USMACV and the Civilian Irregular Defense Groups program. A brief account of the early development of the US Army Advisory Program is in Ref 1.

#### SCOPE AND ORGANIZATION

(U) During the period the number of US Army advisors constantly increased as indicated in Fig. 49. Detailed data are in App E. The data in Fig. 49 do not include the undetermined numbers of US Army personnel who were



(C) Fig. 49—Monthly Average and Year-End Assigned Strengths of US Army Advisors, FY65-FY67

■ Officers    ▨ Enlisted men

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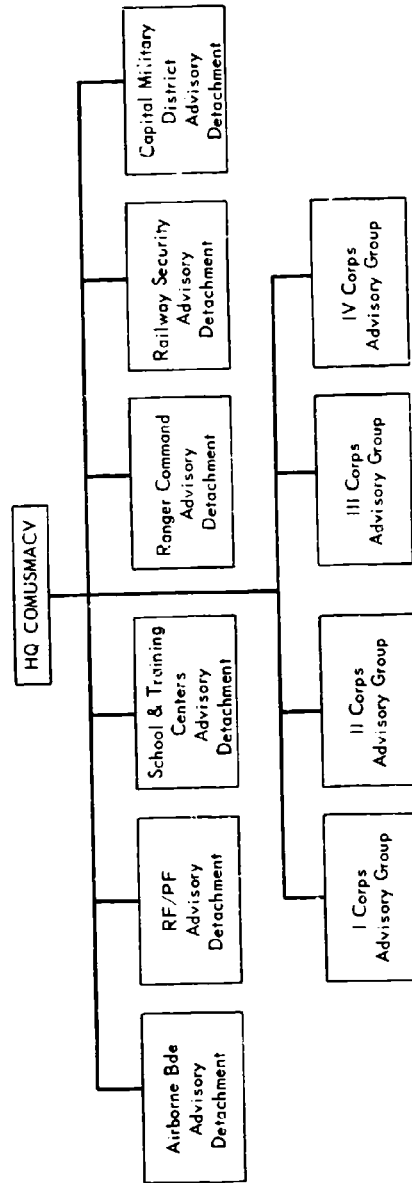


Fig. 50—Organization of the US Army Advisory Program<sup>10</sup>

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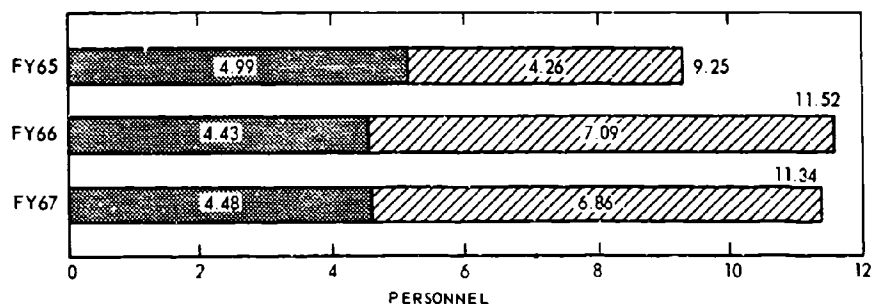
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detached from units in the RVN to serve as advisors to the RVN forces on a temporary basis or the US Army Special Forces detachments serving in advisory roles.

(U) US Army advisors are organized into detachments, teams, and groups. These units have a basic organization but each one is tailored to meet the particular circumstances at the place of assignment. Elements that are added to the basic organization usually provide for special advisory functions, local protection, and internal administration. The composition of basic advisory units is in App E.

(U) Advisory units are subordinated directly to either HQ Commander, USMACV (COMUSMACV) or corps advisory groups. The Senior Advisor to the RVN Corps Commander commands the Corps Advisory Group, which normally includes all advisory units located within the corps area. The Corps Senior Advisor frequently is the senior US Army commander located in the corps area. Figure 50 shows the general organization of US Army advisory units.



(C) Fig. 51—Average Number of US Army Advisors per 1000 Assigned Strength of the RVN Army, FY65–FY67

■ Officers    ▨ Enlisted men

(U) Figure 51 shows the number of advisors per 1000 RVN Army assigned strength. The data in Fig. 51 exclude those advisors assigned to the Regional Forces, Popular Forces, and sector (province) and subsector (district) headquarters.

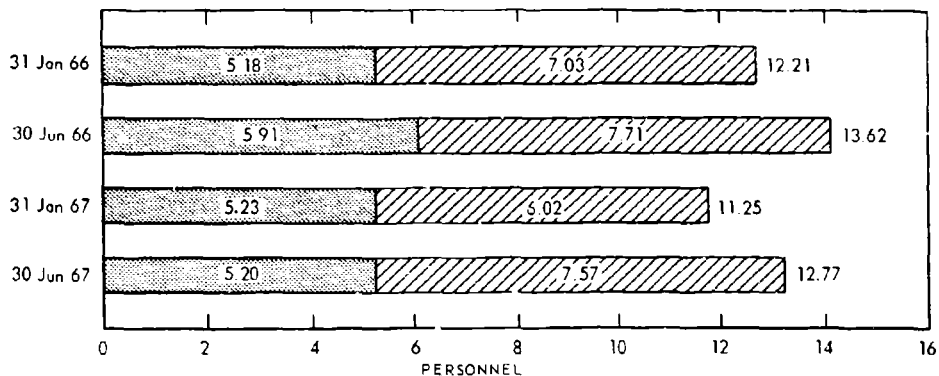
(U) The advisors serving with RVN Army divisions formed the largest single group of US advisors serving with the RVN Army. The annual average number of assigned advisors serving with an RVN Army division varied from about 110 in FY65 to about 129 for FY66–FY67. This variance is negligible because of the increase in the number of infantry battalions in RVN Army divisions in the FY66–FY67 period. Figure 52 shows the number of assigned advisors in units serving with RVN divisions per 1000 assigned strength of the divisions.<sup>19</sup> The variance throughout the period was slight.

(U) The available data show that a significant number of US Army advisors served both Regional Force and Popular Force elements. Consequently it is

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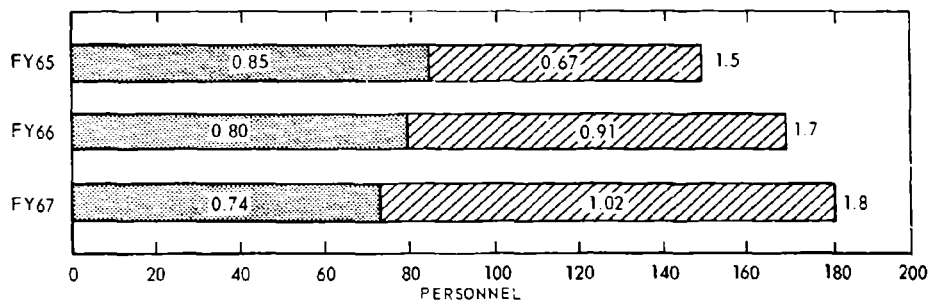
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not possible to relate advisors to either the Regional Forces or Popular Forces exclusively. Most of the advisors were assigned to Regional Force and Popular Force training installations and to sector and subsector advisory detachments. Figure 53 shows the number of US Army advisors per 1000 assigned strength of the combined Regional Forces and Popular Forces. The data in Fig. 53 in-



(C) Fig. 52—Average Number of US Army Advisors per 1000 Assigned Strength of RVN Army Divisions on Various Dates

Officers Enlisted men



(C) Fig. 53—Average Number of US Army Advisors per 1000 Assigned Combined Strength of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces, FY65-FY67

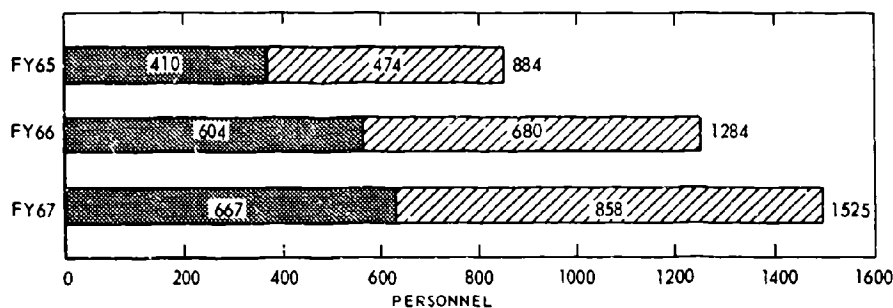
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clude those advisors assigned to sector and subsector headquarters but whose primary duties were related to advising Regional Forces and Popular Forces.

(U) The number of US Army advisors assigned to duties at sector and subsector headquarters increased during the period. Figure 54 shows the number of advisors assigned to such duties and includes those advisors with primary duties related to the Regional Forces and Popular Forces.



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(C) Fig. 54—Average Number of US Army Advisors Assigned to Sector and Subsector Headquarters, FY65-FY67

■ Sector headquarters    ▨ Subsector headquarters

### RESOURCES AND SOURCES SUPPORTING THE PROGRAM

(U) The major costs of the US Army Advisory Program were associated with predeployment training, deployment to and from the RVN, and in-country operations. These costs are discussed in subsequent paragraphs. This study excludes normal personnel costs not arising from the program.

(U) The sources for the resources grew in complexity during the period compared with earlier years. The complexity stemmed from the deployment of large US Army forces that assumed certain logistical responsibilities for all US units in specified areas and the change from MAP funding to Military Assistance Service Funding in March 1966. As a result of these increased numbers of sources, each with its own method of reporting expenditures, there is a lack of definitive data to identify all the specific resources made available for support of US Army advisory units. The following paragraphs describe the available data.

### PREDEPLOYMENT TRAINING

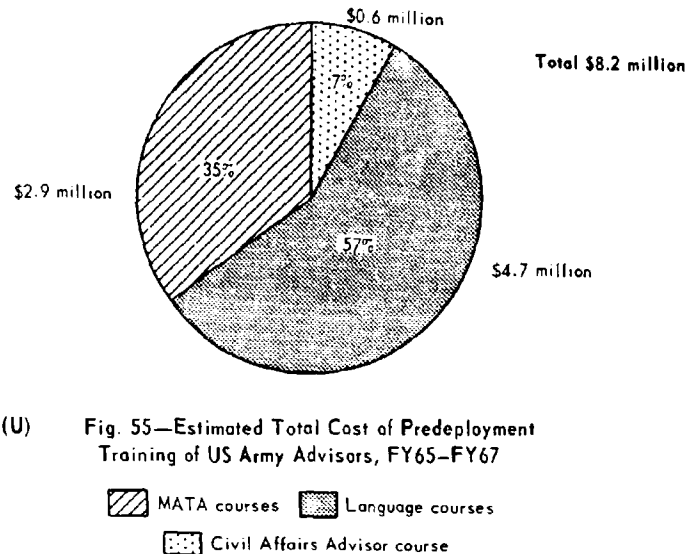
(U) Predeployment training of US Army advisors, except for instruction at the Military Assistance Institute and normal career training, generally consisted of courses at the following schools:

- US Army Special Warfare School (Ft Bragg, N. C.)
- Military Assistance Training Advisor (MATA) courses
- Defense Language Institute
- Vietnamese language courses
- US Army Civil Affairs School (Ft Gordon, Ga.)
- Civil Affairs Advisor course (Vietnam)

(U) Figure 55 shows the estimated total cost of the predeployment training at these schools for the period FY65-FY67. The US Army students who attended the Military Assistance Institute and were deployed to the RVN as advisors cannot be identified, and consequently Fig. 55 does not include the

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costs of that training. The data in Fig. 55 are based on the assumption that all personnel who took the training were in fact deployed to the RVN as advisors. Some individuals may have attended more than one course. Details, including assumptions and annual data, are in App E.



#### DEPLOYMENT TO AND FROM THE RVN

(U) Until 25 March 1966 the costs of deployment of US Army advisors to the RVN were paid by MAP and were included in the category "Training." The costs of redeployment to the US were paid from US Army funds. After 25 March 1966 all the costs were paid from US Army funds. It is estimated that the total cost of deployment of US Army advisors to and from the RVN for the period FY65–FY67 was about \$25 million. Detailed data, to include assumptions used in making the estimate, are in App E.

#### IN-COUNTRY OPERATING COSTS

(U) The major in-country operating costs covered equipment, supplies, facilities, and other support activities. The necessary resources and funds were provided by a variety of sources to include the RVN, military assistance programs, US Army stocks, and US Navy Operations and Maintenance Funds. The resources were made available through a number of different headquarters. A detailed description of the responsibilities of many of the agencies involved in supporting advisory units is in a MACV logistics guide.<sup>20</sup> The paragraphs that follow cover the major in-country costs.

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### Equipment

(C) Major standard mission items of equipment such as vehicles and communications equipment were provided from US military assistance materiel furnished to the RVN Army or specifically earmarked for advisors. The specific designation of US military assistance equipment for advisors started in FY65 with the creation of a specific MAP element code covering such materiel. The cost of this materiel for the period FY65-FY67 was \$8 million. Detailed data are in App E. No data are available on the amount of materiel furnished from RVN Army stocks that were not specifically shipped for use by advisors. Detailed data on vehicles and communications equipment authorized for advisors through the RVN Army are in App E.

(U) Advisor units were also authorized to draw a wide variety of equipment from US stocks including substantial amounts of signal items such as AN/GRC-125 and AN/PRC-25 radios. The basis of issue for equipment to advisor units from US stocks is contained in an Army tabulation.<sup>21</sup>

(U) US Army advisor units were also authorized to draw from US stocks additional individual and crew-served weapons for defense of their compounds. These weapons were authorized for issue to meet specific needs.<sup>20</sup> In September 1967 the defense weapons authorized for advisor compounds included 61 mortars and 333 machineguns. Detailed data are in App E.

### Supplies, Facilities, and Other Support Activities

(U) The major sources of supplies, facilities, and resources for other support activities were HQ US Army, Vietnam, the RVN defense budget, and US Navy Operations and Maintenance Funds.

(U) The available data permit only estimation of the expenditures listed here for supplies, facilities, and other support activities for US Army advisors.

a) AIK expenditures for the first half of FY65

(b) US Navy Operations and Maintenance Fund expenditures for FY65-FY67

(U) Other expenditures for support of US Army advisors have been aggregated by the headquarters concerned into their total expenditures for various purposes and cannot be identified. The available data indicate that the expenditures for US Army advisors for supplies, facilities, and other support activities were more than \$26 million for the period FY65-FY67. Detailed data are in App E.

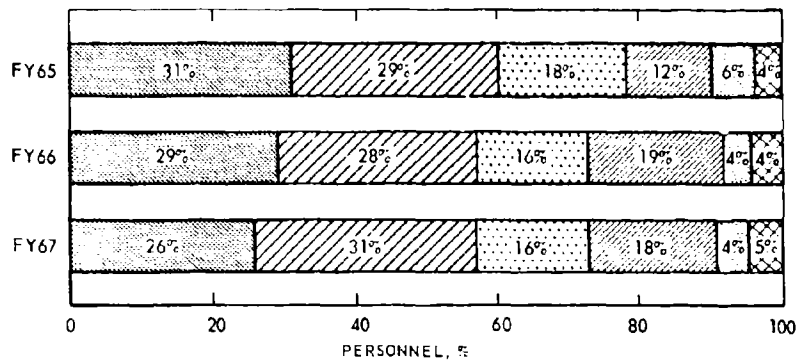
## RECAPITULATION AND ANALYSIS

### Period FY65-FY67

(C) The number of assigned advisors (5435) at the end of FY67 was about 300 percent greater than at the beginning of FY65 (1820). However, most of the increase occurred in FY65. The annual average number of assigned advisors in FY66 and FY67 varied by less than 10 percent. The distribution of advisors by type of assignment remained relatively constant. The distribution is shown in Fig. 56 (same as Fig. 5; repeated here for the reader's convenience). Detailed data are in App E.

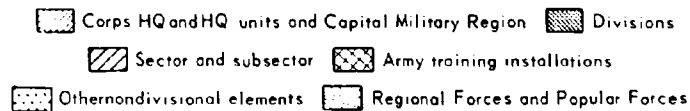
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(C) Fig. 56—Percentage Distribution of US Army Advisors, by Assignment, FY65–FY67

Same as Fig. 5; repeated here for reader's convenience.



(U) Figure 57 shows the distribution of US Army advisors in terms of number of advisors to 1000 assigned strength of the selected supported RVN element. The advisor-support ratio is fairly equal and constant except for the consistently low support ratio for the combined Regional Forces and Popular Forces and the marked variances in support of armored units.

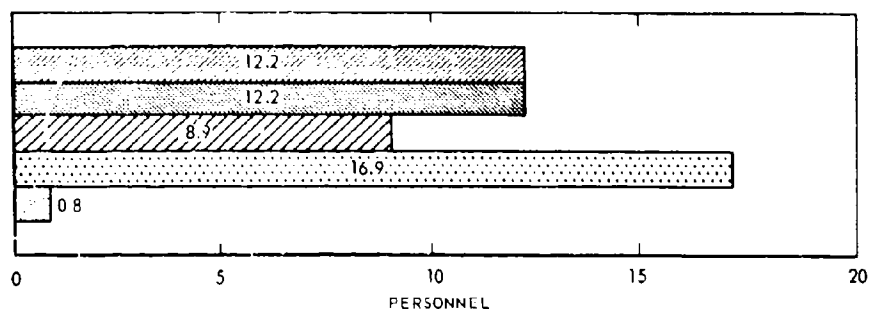
(C) The available data on expenditures in support of the US Army advisors for the period are too incomplete to permit analysis. The identified expenditures total \$67 million as shown in the accompanying tabulation.

Item	Expenditures, millions of dollars
Predeployment training	8
Deployment costs	25
Military assistance materiel	8
In-country expenses	26

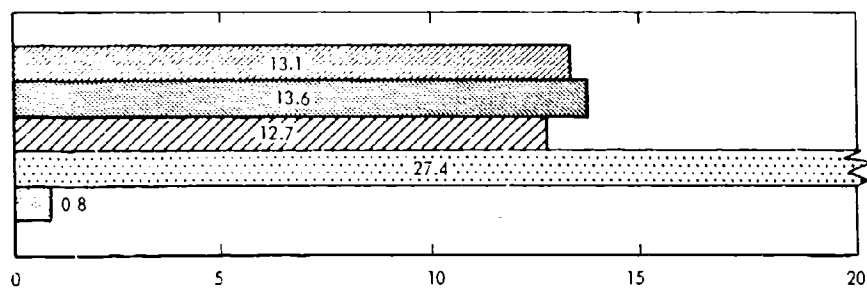
(C) The validity of these expenditures is considered to be poor. On the basis of these figures the average annual per capita advisor cost is about \$4000. This figure is considerably less than the \$6955 derived by Ref 3 for FY63–FY64 for which more complete data are available.

## Period FY58–FY67

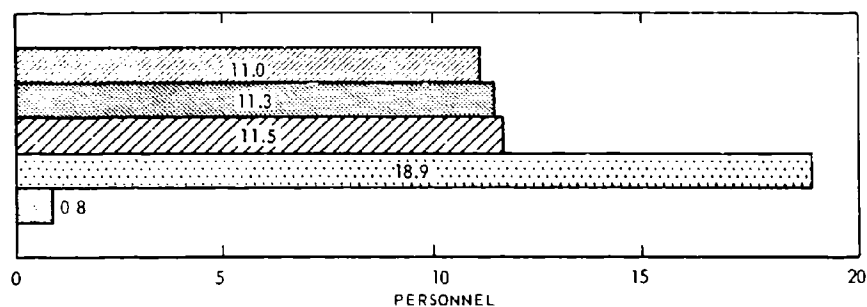
(U) Few data are available to permit analysis of the US Army Advisory Program for the period FY58–FY67. Until 1962 there were relatively few field advisors. Detailed data on assignment of field advisors did not become available until late in FY64.<sup>1,2</sup> There are detailed data on in-country operating costs for FY63–FY64 but no comparable data for FY65–FY67, as explained previously.



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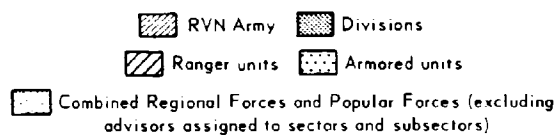


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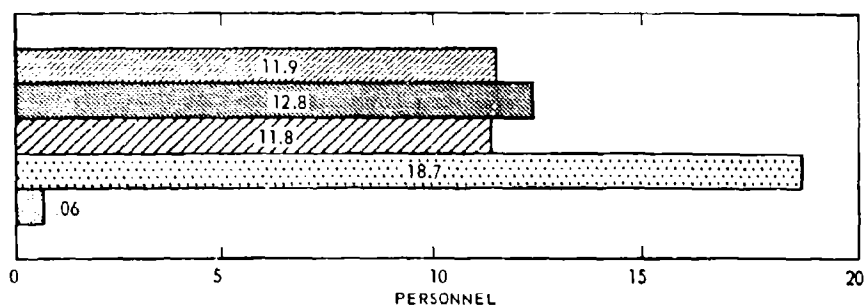


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(C) Fig. 57—US Army Advisors per 1000 Assigned Strength of Supported RVN Army Element on Various Dates



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d. 30 Jun 67

Fig. 57—continued

(U) The available data show that the total annual average number of field advisors in the RVN was about 12.2 per 1000 assigned RVN Army strength in FY63 and FY64.<sup>3</sup> This ratio is about the same as shown in Fig. 57, which covers the period FY65–FY67.

(U) The available data show that the average annual cost of predeployment training per assigned advisor for the FY65–FY67 period was \$659. For the period FY63–FY64 the cost was \$878 per assigned advisor. The reasons for the drop of \$219 cannot be determined precisely. It is surmised that the reasons for the difference might include the following:

- (a) Time lag between predeployment training and arrival in the RVN
- (b) Reassignment to advisory duties from nonadvisory duties after arrival in the RVN
- (c) Deployment to the RVN of advisors without predeployment training because of operational requirements.

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## **Appendix A**

### **FACTORS**

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#### CURRENCY-CONVERSION RATES

(U) Piasters were converted to dollars at the rates existing when the RVN defense budget was approved. These rates are listed in the accompanying tabulation. The information was furnished by HQ USMACV, Office of the Comptroller.<sup>21a</sup>

Period	Piasters per US dollar
1 Jan 65-13 Jun 66	60
19 Jun 66-31 Dec 67	80

#### SUPPLY OPERATIONS

(U) The cost of supply operations for US materiel delivered to Vietnam in support of RVN forces was 13 percent of the dollar value of the materiel delivered.<sup>21b, 21c</sup> Supply operations, as defined in Ref 22, include transportation costs; packing, crating, and handling; operation and maintenance of US depots; storage and maintenance; offshore-procurement expenses; and logistics-management expenses.

(U) For information purposes the following data are furnished for ammunition:<sup>22a, 22b</sup>

(a) The average cost of 1 ton of US Army-procured ammunition is \$1308.

(b) The average cost of shipment of 1 ton of US Army-procured ammunition from point of origin in the CONUS to first port of arrival in the RVN is \$120. Average cost of shipment within CONUS is \$26 per ton. Average cost of ocean freight from CONUS port to first port of arrival in the RVN is \$94 (exclusive of charges associated with unloading).

#### STRENGTH ALLOCATION AMONG RVN ARMED FORCES

(U) For the purposes of this study the strength of the RVN Army in both officers and enlisted men is considered to be 90 percent of the total strength of the RVNAF. The RVNAF consists of the RVN Army, RVN Navy, RVN Air Force, and the RVN Marine Corps. Actual strength figures at selected times are shown in Tables A1<sup>22c</sup> and A2.<sup>23</sup> Inconsistencies between tables are due to different data sources.



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(C) TABLE A1  
RVNAF Assigned Strength, by Service, on Selected Dates<sup>14, 22c</sup>  
(In thousands of troops)

Date	Army	Navy	Marines	Air Force	Total	Army, % of total
31 Jul 65	243.4	12.9	6.7	12.3	275.4	91.7
31 Dec 65	267.9	14.6	7.3	12.8	302.6	88.5
31 Jan 66	272.8	15.0	7.2	12.9	307.9	88.6
31 Dec 66	283.9	17.3	7.0	14.6	322.9	87.9
30 Jun 67	286.8	—	—	—	326.7	87.8

(C) TABLE A2  
RVN Army Assigned Strength in Relation to Total RVNAF Assigned Strength, at Selected Times<sup>23</sup>  
(In thousands of troops)

Date	RVN Army			Other services			RVNAF total			RVN Army, % of RVNAF total		
	Officers	Enlisted men	Total	Officers	Enlisted men	Total	Officers	Enlisted men	Total	Officers	Enlisted men	Total
Jan 65	16.7	201.6	218.3	2.3	24.2	26.5	19.0	225.8	244.8	87.9	89.3	89.2
Jan 66	18.8	253.9	272.8	2.6	32.6	35.2	21.4	286.5	307.9	87.9	88.6	88.6
Jan 67	21.0	260.9	281.9	3.3	35.3	38.6	24.3	296.2	320.5	86.4	88.1	88.0

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## Appendix B

### ALLOCATIONS

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## INTRODUCTION

(U) The purpose of this appendix is to explain the allocations of the RVN defense expenditures and US military assistance materiel among the RVN Army, Regional Forces, and Popular Forces. These allocations were necessary because in a number of instances the basis for requisitioning or the intended specific recipient is not known or cannot be determined from the available data.

## RVN DEFENSE BUDGET

(U) Tables B1 to B3 show the total RVN defense budgets for CY65, CY66, and CY67 respectively. Details of the subdivisions of articles of the RVN defense budgets (called "items") are not shown. Totals are shown in thousands of dollars based on the conversion rates in App A.

(U) Table B4 shows the expenditures by chapter and article considered not to be in support of the RVN Army, Regional Forces, and Popular Forces. In the preparation of Table B4 each item was examined and those not pertaining to the RVN Army, Regional Forces, and Popular Forces were identified. Additionally, the factor given in App A was used to determine the RVN Army allocation of those expenditures shown for the aggregate RVN armed forces. In a few cases (none involving significant sums) qualitative judgment was used in making allocations between the Regional Forces and the Popular Forces. Table B5 shows the estimated total RVN defense budgets for the RVN Army, Regional Forces, and Popular Forces, by fiscal year. Details of these budgets are in Apps C and D.

## US MILITARY ASSISTANCE MATERIEL, LESS AMMUNITION

(U) The specification of all US military assistance materiel, except ammunition, ordered for support of RVN forces includes an element code. This code identifies the intended recipient in terms of specific units or certain general-support purposes including attrition, modernization, and general support. The general-support-purpose materiel is provided primarily in support of the RVN Army. No data are available to indicate the amount of this support materiel provided for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces or the other services. It is believed that the general-support materiel used for support of

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TABLE B1  
RVN Defense Budget, CY65  
(In thousands of dollars)

Chapter and Article	Total	US Support	RVN Support
01 OFFICE, MINISTER OF NATIONAL DEFENSE	55.0	0	55.0
1 Pay and Allowances	21.7	0	21.7
2 Reception	33.3	0	33.3
02 OFFICERS PAY & ALLOWANCES	40,150.4	22,779.3	17,371.1
1 Basic Pay	22,779.3	22,779.3	0
2 Common Allowances	15,954.2	0	15,954.2
3 Special Allowances	1,416.8	0	1,416.8
03 NCO'S & EM PAY & ALLOWANCES	161,033.2	82,113.4	78,919.8
1 Basic Pay	82,966.3	82,113.4	852.9
2 Common Allowances	72,400.4	0	72,400.4
3 Special Allowances	5,666.5	0	5,666.5
04 RETIREMENT, DISABILITY, & DEATH GRATUITY	7,778.5	0	7,778.5
1 Disability	3,382.6	0	3,382.6
2 Military Retirement	1,543.4	0	1,543.4
3 Death Gratuity	2,852.5	0	2,852.5
05 FOODSTUFFS	26,146.5	833.2	25,315.3
1 Basic Food Allowance	16,663.4	0	16,663.4
2 Admin Food Allowance	6,474.7	433.4	6,041.3
3 Special Food Allowance	1,175.6	0	1,175.6
4 Alw for Soldiers in Military Hospitals	1,321.9	0	1,321.9
5 Alw for Govt Civilian & Military and Civilian Dependents in Military Hospitals	113.2	0	113.2
6 Food Alw for Third Country Personnel	399.7	399.7	0
06 TRANSPORTATION	6,546.4	3,662.2	2,884.2
4 Temporary Personnel	82.5	0	82.5
5 Operating Expenses	3.4	0	3.4
6 Dock Expenses	1,662.6	1,535.2	67.4
7 Transportation of Personnel	1,155.6	0	1,155.6
8 Transportation of Material	3,702.3	2,126.9	1,575.4
07 AIR FORCE	993.7	129.4	864.3
1 Technical Equipment	180.3	10.8	169.4
2 Common Use Items	102.2	54.6	47.6
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	473.0	0	473.0
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	99.5	0	99.5
5 Operating Expenses	41.4	23.7	17.7
6 Foreign Flights Expenses	57.0	0	57.0
8 Air Force Training Center	40.3	40.3	0

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(C) TABLE B1 (continued)

Chapter and Article	Total	US Support	RVN Support
08 NAVY	3,282.5	1,338.9	1,943.6
1 Technical Material	.9	0	.9
2 Common Material	208.6	31.8	176.8
3 Permanent Personnel	249.8	0	249.8
4 Temporary Personnel	77.7	0	77.7
5 Operating Expenses	145.2	0	145.2
6 Overseas Trips	3.0	0	3.0
7 Repair of the Fleet	2,094.2	1,047.1	1,047.1
8 Other Industrial Work	421.9	210.9	210.9
9 Foreign Technicians	23.3	11.6	11.6
10 Naval Training Center	58.0	37.4	20.6
09 ORDNANCE	5,875.6	1,361.1	4,514.5
1 Technical Equipment	1,568.0	299.9	1,268.1
2 Common Use Items	153.5	71.7	81.9
3 Permanent Personnel	2,183.3	0	2,183.3
4 Temporary Personnel	881.5	0	881.5
5 Operating Expenses	1,089.4	989.5	99.8
10 SIGNAL	1,210.2	146.6	1,063.6
1 Technical Equipment	200.0	139.5	60.5
2 Common Use Items	6.8	2.6	4.3
3 Permanent Personnel	565.4	0	565.4
4 Temporary Personnel	159.4	0	159.4
5 Operating Expenses	30.5	4.5	26.0
6 Communications Service (PTT)	248.0	0	248.0
11 ENGINEER	4,766.6	1,038.0	3,728.6
1 Technical Equipment	149.7	110.6	39.1
2 Common Use Items	1,647.3	856.5	790.8
3 Permanent Personnel	2,077.0	0	2,077.0
4 Temporary Personnel	726.2	0	726.2
5 Operating Expenses	166.5	70.8	95.6
12 QUARTERMASTER	20,694.2	9,830.6	10,863.5
1 Technical Equipment	31.2	30.1	1.1
2 Common Use Items	524.4	325.7	198.7
3 Permanent Personnel	539.0	0	539.0
4 Temporary Personnel	2,763.4	0	2,763.4
5 Operating Expenses	55.8	0	55.8
6 Office Furniture & Equipment	511.0	0	511.0
7 Quarters & Mess Furniture & Equipment	1,545.3	0	1,545.3
8 Individual Clothing & Equipment	13,841.1	9,151.6	4,689.5
9 Unit Equipment	777.6	251.6	526.0
10 POL Expenses	105.3	71.7	33.7

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(C) TABLE B1 (continued)

Chapter and Article	Total	US Support	RVN Support
13 MEDICAL	2,715.0	515.9	2,199.1
1 Drugs & Technical Material	778.4	515.9	262.5
2 Common Use Items	551.5	0	551.5
3 Permanent Personnel	618.9	0	618.9
4 Temporary Personnel	207.0	0	207.0
5 Operating Expenses	62.1	0	62.1
6 Exp. for Mil. Pers. treated in Civ. Hosp.	3.5	0	3.5
7 Exp. for Mil. Dep., Civ. Pers., & Civ. Pers. Dep. treated in Civ. Hosp.	493.7	0	493.7
14 PSYWAR - CIVIC ACTION	2,380.1	1,635.6	744.5
1 Technical Items	15.9	0	15.9
3 Permanent Personnel	65.6	0	65.6
4 Temporary Personnel	126.3	0	126.3
5 Operating Expenses	292.5	256.4	36.1
6 Psywar Activities	629.8	129.2	500.6
7 Civic Action	1,250.0	1,250.0	0
15 NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE	376.3	16.7	359.6
1 Technical Items	15.2	15.2	0
3 Permanent Personnel	333.8	0	333.8
4 Temporary Personnel	22.5	0	22.5
5 Operating Expenses	4.8	1.5	3.3
16 CENTRAL AGENCIES	1,716.1	8.2	1,707.9
1 Technical Material	42.3	0	42.3
3 Permanent Personnel	977.3	0	977.3
4 Temporary Personnel	20.7	0	20.7
5 Operating Expenses	378.1	0	378.1
6 Publications Procurement	297.7	8.2	289.5
17 REGIONAL AGENCIES	1,841.6	0	1,841.6
3 Permanent Personnel	1,237.5	0	1,237.5
4 Temporary Personnel	235.1	0	235.1
5 Operating Expenses - Hqs	163.2	0	163.2
6 Operating Expenses - Units	160.5	0	160.5
7 Unit Petty Cash Fund	45.3	0	45.3
18 NEW CONSTRUCTION	14,409.5	3,399.8	11,009.7
1 Army	11,279.3	2,716.8	8,562.5
2 Navy	891.0	445.5	445.5
3 Air Force	541.6	237.5	304.2
4 Engineer Troop Unit Const. - LOC	1,697.5	0	1,697.5

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(C) TABLE B1 (continued)

Chapter and Article	Total	US Support	RVN Support
19 FACILITIES -- RENTALS -- UTILITIES	11,443.1	4,298.0	7,145.1
1 Routine Maintenance	4,410.7	3,495.0	915.7
2 Major Maintenance	1,897.6	803.0	1,094.6
5 Rentals	2,884.9	0	2,884.9
6 Utilities	2,250.0	0	2,250.0
20 TRAINING	2,423.2	2,031.4	391.8
1 RVNAF Training	448.0	426.2	21.8
2 RVNAF Sports	49.2	0	49.2
3 Schools & Training Centers	1,848.1	1,534.1	314.0
4 Military Ceremonies	6.8	0	6.8
5 Foreign Technicians	71.1	71.1	0
22 SOCIAL SERVICE	10,022.8	0	10,022.8
1 Social Assistance	339.9	0	339.9
2 Family Housing	9,682.9	0	9,682.9
23 LEGAL COSTS AND DAMAGES	152.0	0	152.0
1 Legal Costs	18.7	0	18.7
2 Damages	133.3	0	133.3
24 SPECIAL EXPENDITURES	500.0	0	500.0
2 Pacification Fund	500.0	0	500.0
26 1 ASSISTANCE-IN-KIND	37,615.2	37,615.2	0
Salaries	7,336.2	7,336.2	0
Travel and Per Diem	14.0	14.0	0
Transportation	308.1	308.1	0
Communications	18.7	18.7	0
Printing and Binding	52.8	52.8	0
Rents and Leases	9,763.2	9,763.2	0
Utilities	5,627.9	5,627.9	0
Contractual Services	9,807.9	9,807.9	0
Supplies and Materials	3,803.1	3,803.1	0
Equipment	883.2	883.2	0
28 CHAPLAIN	247.0	0	247.0
1 Buddhist Chaplains Expenses	138.3	0	138.3
2 Catholic Chaplains Expenses	96.8	0	96.8
3 Protestant Chaplains Expenses	11.9	0	11.9
30 VETERANS' AFFAIRS	314.4	0	314.4
1 Civilian Personnel	164.8	0	164.8
3 Supplies and Services	138.0	0	138.0
4 Imprest Fund	5.0	0	5.0
6 Machines and Equipment	6.6	0	6.6

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(C) TABLE B1 (continued)

Chapter and Article	Total	US Support	RVN Support
31 PROSTHETICS & REHABILITATION CTR	266.0	0	266.0
1 Civilian Personnel	68.8	0	68.8
3 Supplies and Services	135.7	0	135.7
4 Machines and Equipment	36.4	0	36.4
5 New Construction	25.0	0	25.0
33 REGIONAL FORCE	82,279.0	0	82,279.0
1 Civilian Pay	46.3	0	46.3
2 Officers' Pay & Allowances	8,336.4	0	8,336.4
3 NCO's & EM Pay & Allowances	52,353.6	0	52,353.6
4 Disability & Death Gratuity	1,780.7	0	1,780.7
5 Foodstuffs	9,429.5	0	9,429.5
6 Transportation	522.8	0	522.8
8 Shallow Boats	222.1	0	222.1
9 Ordnance	48.5	0	48.5
10 Signal	36.9	0	36.9
12 Quartermaster	2,110.8	0	2,110.8
13 Hospitalization	135.9	0	135.9
14 Psychological Warfare	22.2	0	22.2
16 Oper. Exp. - Hqs & Central Agencies	148.3	0	148.3
17 Oper. Exp. - Cnd & Regional Units	63.3	0	63.3
18 New Construction	6,423.7	0	6,423.7
19 Maintenance, Rental & Utilities	318.5	0	318.5
20 Training	182.7	0	182.7
23 Legal Expenses & Compensation	66.7	0	66.7
34 POPULAR FORCE	59,400.2	2,233.2	57,166.9
1 Civilian Pay	299.8	0	299.8
2 Popular Force Salary	44,456.1	0	44,456.1
4 Death Gratuity	3,201.7	0	3,201.7
5 Foodstuff	1,796.1	0	1,796.1
6 Transportation	264.0	0	264.0
9 Ordnance	141.0	0	141.0
10 Signal	20.0	0	20.0
12 Quartermaster	6,886.7	2,233.2	4,653.4
13 Hospitalization	.8	0	.8
14 Psychological Warfare	84.4	0	84.4
16 Operating Exp. of Hqs & Central Agencies	86.8	0	86.8
17 Oper. Exp. of Cnd & Regional Units	128.0	0	128.0
18 New Construction	1,370.8	0	1,370.8
19 Maintenance, Rental, Utilities	381.2	0	381.2
20 Training	265.9	0	265.9
23 Legal Expenses & Compensation	16.7	0	16.7
TOTAL CY 1965 GVN DEFENSE BUDGET	506,636.0	174,986.5	331,649.5

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TABLE B2  
RVN Defense Budget, CY66  
(In thousands of dollars)

Chapter and Article	Total	US Support	RVN Support
01 OFFICE, MINISTRY OF NATIONAL DEFENSE	51.8	0	51.8
1 Salaries & Allowances	33.3	0	33.3
2 Representation Allowance	18.5	0	18.5
02 OFFICERS PAY & ALLOWANCES	50,337.7	24,810.6	26,221.1
1 Base Pay - Regular	24,810.6	24,810.6	0
2 Common Alws - Regular	16,416.2	0	16,416.2
3 Special Alws - Regular	1,543.1	0	1,543.1
4 Differential Pay	0	0	0
5 Per Diem - Regular	422.3	0	422.3
6 Base Pay - Regional	4,310.3	0	4,310.3
7 Common Alws - Regional	3,279.1	0	3,279.1
8 Special Alws - Regional	10.6	0	10.6
9 Per Diem - Regional	39.5	0	39.5
03 NCO'S & EM PAY & ALLOWANCES	303,091.3	124,855.5	238,235.8
1 Base Pay - Regular	92,163.5	92,163.5	0
2 Common Alws - Regular	135,888.6	0	135,888.6
3 Special Alws - Regular	5,346.0	0	5,346.0
4 Differential Pay	0	0	0
5 Per Diem Regular	515.6	0	515.6
6 Base Pay - Regional	32,721.3	32,632.1	39.3
7 Common Alws - Regional	45,666.5	0	45,666.5
8 Special Alws - Regional	2,807.6	0	2,807.6
9 Per Diem - Regional	80.7	0	80.7
10 Popular Force Pay	44,810.4	0	44,810.4
11 Per Diem - Popular	21.1	0	21.1
04 DISABILITY - RETIREMENT - DEATH GRATUITY	18,366.9	0	18,366.9
1 Disability - Regular	3,866.9	0	3,866.9
2 Retirement - Regular	1,081.0	0	1,081.0
3 Death Gratuity - Regular	6,368.7	0	6,368.7
4 Disability - RF PF	313.6	0	313.6
5 Death Gratuity - RF PF	6,736.7	0	6,736.7
05 FOODSTUFFS	7,592.6	365.0	7,227.6
1 Firewood	1,544.1	0	1,544.1
2 Special Subsistence Alws	5,683.5	0	5,683.5
3 Foodstuffs for Allied Forces	365.0	365.0	0

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Chapter and Article	Total	US Support	RVA Support
06 TRANSPORTATION	5,192.6	2,498.7	2,693.9
1 Technical Equipment	8.5	8.5	0
2 Common Use Items	0	0	0
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	0	0	0
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	100.3	0	100.3
5 Operating Expenses	7.4	0	7.4
6 Dock Expenses	1,105.5	965.2	140.3
7 Transportation of Personnel	754.2	0	754.2
8 Transportation of Material	3,216.7	1,525.0	1,691.7
07 AIR FORCE	1,063.6	82.0	981.6
1 Technical Equipment	77.0	10.8	66.2
2 Common Use Items	122.7	61.6	61.1
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	584.7	0	584.7
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	103.2	0	103.2
5 Operating Expenses	67.7	0	67.7
6 Foreign Flights Expenses	72.6	0	72.6
7 Air Force Training Center	35.7	9.6	26.1
08 NAVY	2,155.3	836.1	1,319.2
1 Technical Equipment	1.6	0	1.6
2 Common Use Items	433.6	231.0	202.6
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	432.2	0	432.2
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	150.6	0	150.6
5 Operating Expenses	80.0	0	80.0
6 Overseas Expenses	149.0	0	149.0
7 Repair not performed by Naval Shipyard	836.3	584.8	251.5
8 Naval Training Center	72.0	20.3	51.7
09 ORDNANCE	5,255.6	611.9	4,643.7
1 Technical Equipment	317.8	40.3	277.5
2 Common Use Items	208.7	101.2	107.5
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	2,996.0	0	2,996.0
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	1,126.2	0	1,126.2
5 Operating Expenses	606.9	470.4	136.5
10 SIGNAL	1,577.4	407.7	1,169.7
1 Technical Equipment	572.8	402.2	170.6
2 Common Use Items	21.4	2.8	18.6
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	604.4	0	604.4
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	184.0	0	184.0
5 Operating Expenses	38.5	2.7	35.8
6 PTT Services	156.3	0	156.3

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(C) **TABLE B2 (continued)**

Chapter and Article	Total	US Support	RVN Support
11 ENGINEER	5,925.2	1,696.7	4,228.5
1 Technical Equipment	150.0	150.0	0
2 Common Use Items	2,092.9	1,472.9	620.0
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	2,653.5	0	2,653.5
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	879.4	0	879.4
5 Operating Expenses	149.4	73.8	75.6
12 QUARTERMASTER	33,813.6	16,504.8	17,308.8
1 Technical Equipment	26.8	24.1	2.7
2 Common Use Items	721.0	581.6	139.4
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	750.2	0	750.2
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	3,463.7	0	3,463.7
5 Operating Expenses	292.4	0	292.4
6 Office Furniture and Equipment	782.5	0	782.5
7 Quarters & Mess Furniture & Equipment	2,165.0	0	2,165.0
8 Individual Clothing & Equipment	18,014.2	12,807.1	5,207.1
9 Unit Equipment	2,249.3	189.8	2,059.5
10 PGL Expenses	114.2	56.2	58.0
11 Admin Food & Operational Ration	5,234.3	2,846.0	2,388.3
13 MEDICAL	4,275.1	402.1	3,873.0
1 Medical Products & Tech- nical Equipment	833.8	402.1	431.7
2 Common Use Items	429.4	0	429.4
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	741.9	0	741.9
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	235.2	0	235.2
5 Operating Expenses	89.9	0	89.9
6 Exp. Mil. Pers. in Civ. & & Private Hospitals	4.0	0	4.0
7 Exp. Mil. Dep., Civ. Pers. & Dep. in Civ. & Private Hospitals	504.9	0	504.9
8 Hosp. of Mil. & Dep., Civ. Pers. & Dep. in Station Hospitals, Dispensaries, Collecting Stations	1,436.0	0	1,436.0
14 PSYWAR/CIVIC ACTION	4,234.3	3,403.3	831.0
1 Technical Equipment	9.4	0	9.4
2 Common Use Items	0	0	0
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	63.6	0	63.6
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	232.0	0	232.0
5 Operating Expenses	333.8	310.6	23.2
6 Psywar Activities	678.8	176.0	502.8
7 Civic Action	2,916.7	2,916.7	0

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(C) TABLE B2 (continued)

Chapter and Article	Total	US Support	RVN Support
15 NAVAL SHIPYARD	2,599.4	320.6	2,278.8
1 Technical Equipment	58.0	58.0	0
2 Common Use Items	388.0	194.0	194.0
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	1,680.4	0	1,680.4
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	99.9	0	99.9
5 Operating Expenses	162.0	5.2	156.8
6 Foreign Specialists (Japanese)	41.8	41.8	0
7 Special Manpower	124.3	0	124.3
8 Special Training (Apprentice School)	45.0	21.6	23.4
16 CENTRAL AGENCIES	1,522.8	0	1,522.8
1 Technical Equipment	16.8	0	16.8
2 Common Use Items	0	0	0
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	892.6	0	892.6
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	186.2	0	186.2
5 Operating Expenses	427.2	0	427.2
6 Publication Expenses to be Administered by the Armed Forces Publica- tion Center	0	0	0
17 REGIONAL AGENCIES	2,313.1	0	2,313.1
1 Technical Equipment	.7	0	.7
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	1,162.1	0	1,162.1
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	380.8	0	380.8
5 Operating Expenses	204.8	0	204.8
6 Printed Forms & Office Supplies	440.1	0	440.1
7 Unit Petty Cash Fund	124.6	0	124.6
18 NEW CONSTRUCTION	12,232.7	2,374.9	9,857.8
1 Army (Incl. RF Tng Cen)	3,500.0	1,750.0	1,750.0
2 Navy	466.6	233.3	233.3
3 Air Force	366.6	183.3	183.3
4 Regional Force	416.6	208.3	208.3
5 Popular Force	383.0	0	383.0
6 Engr Troop Const for Communications and Rehabilitation	433.3	0	433.3
7 Dependent Housing	6,666.6	0	6,666.6

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Chapter and Article	Total	US Support	RVN Support
19 FACILITIES MAINTENANCE - REAL ESTATE - UTILITIES	13,233.4	3,253.9	9,979.5
1 Routine Maintenance	3,566.7	2,898.7	668.0
2 Major Repair	833.3	355.2	478.1
3 Real Estate Purchase	1,666.7	0	1,666.7
4 Real Estate Indemnification	1,666.7	0	1,666.7
5 Rentals	1,666.7	0	1,666.7
6 Utilities	2,500.0	0	2,500.0
7 Real Estate Purchase for Free World Forces	833.3	0	833.3
8 Real Estate Rental, Free World Forces	500.0	0	500.0
20 TRAINING	3,275.7	2,480.0	795.7
1 ARVN Training	537.5	528.0	9.5
2 Military Ceremonies	6.9	0	6.9
3 Schools and Training Centers	2,731.3	1,952.0	779.3
21 FOREIGN TECHNICIANS	90.1	90.1	0
1 In-Country Expenses for Philippino Technicians working in the Army	90.1	90.1	0
22 SOCIAL WELFARE	830.8	0	830.8
1 Expenses for the Operation of Social Welfare Programs	830.8	0	830.8
23 LEGAL CLAIMS	232.7	0	232.7
1 Legal Cost	12.7	0	12.7
2 Damages	220.0	0	220.0
24 SPECIAL EXPENSES	500.0	0	500.0
1 Pacification Fund	500.0	0	500.0
26 1 MACV EXPENSES (AIK)	41,666.6	41,666.6	0
Civilian Pay & Allowances	13,633.3	13,633.3	0
Travel and Per Diem	33.3	33.3	0
Transportation	2,233.3	2,233.3	0
Communications	23.0	23.0	0
Rents/Leases	5,016.7	5,016.7	0
Utilities	1,133.3	1,133.3	0
Printing	0	0	0
Contractual Services	14,885.4	14,885.4	0
Supplies and Materials	3,208.3	3,208.3	0
Equipment	1,500.0	1,500.0	0

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Chapter and Article	Total	US Support	RVN Support
28 CHAPLAINS	290.5	0	290.5
1 Buddhist	164.3	0	164.3
2 Catholic	110.4	0	110.4
3 Protestant	15.8	0	15.8
29 POLWAR GENERAL DIVISION	500.0	0	500.0
1 Technical Equipment	45.0	0	45.0
5 Operating Expenses	330.3	0	330.3
6 Oper. Exp. - Polwar School	12.7	0	12.7
7 Military Sports	112.0	0	112.0
30 VETERANS' AFFAIRS	611.5	0	611.5
1 Technical Equipment	136.3	0	136.3
2 Common Use Items	5.0	0	5.0
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	230.3	0	230.3
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	32.1	0	32.1
5 Operating Expenses	202.8	0	202.8
6 Special Alws to Veterans & Disabled Soldiers	5.0	0	5.0
TOTAL CY 1966 GVN DEFENSE BUDGET	583,332.2	226,666.6	356,665.6

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TABLE B3  
RVN Defense Budget, CY67  
(In thousands of dollars)

Chapter and Article	Total	US Support	RVN Support
01 OFFICE, MINISTRY OF NATIONAL DEFENSE	56.1	0	56.1
1 Salaries & Allowance	18.6	0	18.6
2 Representation Allowance	37.5	0	37.5
02 OFFICERS PAY & ALLOWANCE	50,632.5	29,136.5	21,496.0
1 Base Pay - Regular	20,159.4	20,159.4	0
2 Common Alws - Regular	12,987.2	0	12,987.2
3 Special Alws - Regular	1,519.9	0	1,519.9
4 Differential Pay	259.7	0	259.7
5 Per Diem - Regular	224.1	0	224.1
6 Base Pay - Regional	3,471.1	3,471.1	0
7 Common Alws - Regional	2,738.1	0	2,738.1
8 Special Alws - Regional	120.5	0	120.5
9 Per Diem - Regional	25.4	0	25.4
10 Provisional Pay Raise - RA, RF	9,127.1	5,506.0	3,621.1
03 NCO's & EM PAY AND ALLOWANCE	366,848.9	130,713.2	236,135.7
1 Base Pay - Regular	68,550.0	68,550.0	0
2 Common Alws - Regular	100,610.6	0	100,610.6
3 Special Alws - Regular	7,783.6	0	7,783.6
4 Differential Pay	619.8	0	619.8
5 Per diem - Regular	220.4	0	220.4
6 Base Pay - Regional	26,600.4	26,600.4	0
7 Common Alws - Regional	38,571.7	0	38,571.7
8 Special Alws - Regional	2,128.5	0	2,128.5
9 Per diem - Regional	41.7	0	41.7
10 Popular Force Pay	44,338.9	8,670.1	35,668.8
11 Per diem - Popular	8.7	0	8.7
12 Provisional Pay Raise - RA, RF/PF	77,374.4	26,892.7	50,481.7
04 DEATH GRATUITY	8,144.9	0	8,144.9
1 Death Gratuity - Regular	4,240.9	0	4,240.9
2 Death Gratuity - RF/PF	3,904.0	0	3,904.0
05 FOODSTUFFS	5,688.8	0	5,688.8
1 Firewood	1,250.0	0	1,250.0
2 Special Subsistence Alws	4,438.8	0	4,438.8
3 Foodstuffs for Allied Forces	0	0	0

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(C) TABLE B3 (continued)

Chapter and Article	Total	US Support	RVN Support
06 TRANSPORTATION	5,931.4	3,207.6	2,723.8
1 Technical Equipment	9.6	9.6	0
2 Common Use Items	0	0	0
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	0	0	0
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	101.8	0	101.8
5 Operating Expenses	11.1	0	11.1
6 Dock Expenses	1,762.4	1,584.9	177.5
7 Transportation of personnel	678.2	0	678.2
8 Transportation of materiel	3,368.5	1,613.2	1,755.3
07 AIR FORCE	1,057.9	66.4	991.5
1 Technical Equipment	172.3	6.3	166.0
2 Common Use Items	210.8	60.2	150.6
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	474.2	0	474.2
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	100.6	0	100.6
5 Operating Expenses	37.5	0	37.5
6 Foreign Flights Expenses	37.5	0	37.5
7 Air Force Training Center	25.0	0	25.0
08 NAVY	2,137.2	250.0	1,887.2
1 Technical Equipment	3.6	0	3.6
2 Common Use Items	500.0	125.0	375.0
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	424.0	0	424.0
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	87.1	0	87.1
5 Operating Expenses	81.3	0	81.3
6 Overseas Expenses	308.2	0	308.2
7 Repair outside Naval Shipyard	656.3	125.0	531.3
8 Naval Training Center	76.9	0	76.9
09 ORDNANCE	5,173.1	1,113.7	4,059.4
1 Technical Equipment	1,283.4	1,106.4	177.0
2 Common Use Items	57.2	4.4	52.8
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	2,470.8	0	2,470.8
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	1,128.7	0	1,128.7
5 Operating Expenses	232.9	2.8	230.1
10 SIGNAL	1,501.8	390.9	1,110.9
1 Technical Equipment	522.1	390.9	131.2
2 Common Use Items	15.5	0	15.5
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	627.0	0	627.0
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	173.6	0	173.6
5 Operating Expenses	28.6	0	28.6
6 PIT Services	135.0	0	135.0

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(C) TABLE B3 (continued)

Chapter and Article	Total	US Support	RVN Support
11 ENGINEER	5,133.2	0	5,139.2
1 Technical Equipment	187.5	0	187.5
2 Common Use Items	2,134.0	0	2,134.0
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	2,131.5	0	2,131.5
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	547.9	0	547.9
5 Operating Expenses	138.3	0	138.3
12 QUARTERMASTER	38,047.7	19,913.6	18,134.1
1 Technical Equipment	39.9	24.9	15.0
2 Common Use Items	347.1	235.8	711.3
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	754.4	0	754.4
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	2,594.9	0	2,594.9
5 Operating Expenses	25.0	0	25.0
6 Office Furniture and Equipment	898.8	0	898.8
7 Quarters & Mess Furniture & Equip.	1,747.7	0	1,747.7
8 Individual Clothing & Equip	19,441.3	17,961.5	1,479.8
9 Unit Equipment	3,832.7	17.4	3,815.3
10 POL Expenses	204.7	150.5	54.2
11 Admin Food & Operational Ration	7,561.4	1,523.5	6,037.9
13 MEDICAL	4,003.8	0	4,003.8
1 Medical Products & Tech Equip	582.9	0	582.9
2 Common Use Items	466.3	0	466.3
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	730.2	0	730.2
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	195.9	0	195.9
5 Operating Expenses	34.3	0	34.3
6 Exp. Mil. Pers. In Civ. & Private Hospitals	2.0	0	2.0
7 Exp. Mil. Dep., Civ. Pers. & Dep. in Station Hospitals	367.2	0	367.2
8 Hosp. of Mil. & Dep., Civ. Pers. & Dep. in Station Hospitals, Dispensaries, Collecting Stations	1,625.3	0	1,625.3
14 PSYWAR/CIVIC ACTION	4,518.0	3,375.0	1,143.0
1 Technical Equipment	23.1	0	23.1
2 Common Use Items	0	0	0
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	58.2	0	58.2
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	188.4	0	188.4
5 Operating Expenses	285.	0	285.
6 Psywar Activities	838.2	250.0	588.2
7 Civic Action (Mileap)	2,500.0	2,500.0	0
8 Damages for Defoliation	625.0	625.0	0

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(C) **TABLE B3 (continued)**

Chapter and Article	Total	US Support	RVN Support
15 NAVAL SHIPYARD	2,255.1	228.4	2,026.7
1 Technical Equipment	52.7	0	52.7
2 Common Use Items	301.5	150.8	150.7
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	1,503.7	0	1,503.7
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	94.8	0	94.8
5 Operating Expenses	141.6	0	141.6
6 Foreign Specialists (Japanese)	59.6	59.6	0
7 Special Manpower	64.9	0	64.9
8 Naval Shipyard Tech School	36.3	18.0	18.3
16 CENTRAL AGENCIES	1,683.4	0	1,683.4
1 Technical Equipment	0	0	0
2 Common Use Items	0	0	0
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	897.2	0	897.2
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	118.6	0	118.6
5 Operating Expenses	311.9	0	311.9
6 Armed Forces Publications Center	321.4	0	321.4
17 REGIONAL AGENCIES	2,336.1	0	2,336.1
1 Technical Equipment	.9	0	.9
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	1,083.1	0	1,083.1
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	317.6	0	317.6
5 Operating Expenses	224.9	0	224.9
6 Printed Forms & Office Supplies	612.1	0	612.1
7 Unit Petty Cash Fund	97.5	0	97.5
18 NEW CONSTRUCTION	13,750.0	4,437.5	9,312.5
1 Army	6,875.0	3,437.5	3,437.5
2 Navy	500.0	250.0	250.0
3 Air Force	937.5	468.8	468.8
4 Regional Force	250.0	125.0	125.0
5 Popular Force	125.0	0	125.0
6 Engr Troop Const. for Communications & Rehabili- tation	1,000.0	0	1,000.0
7 Dependent Housing	3,750.0	0	3,750.0
8 Minor New Construction	312.5	156.3	156.3
19 FACILITIES MAINTENANCE - REAL ESTATE - UTILITIES	13,634.3	3,398.8	10,235.5
1 Routine Maintenance	2,800.0	2,211.3	588.7
2 Major Repairs	2,375.0	1,187.5	1,187.5
3 Real Estate Purchase	625.0	0	625.0
4 Real Estate Indemnification	1,250.0	0	1,250.0
5 Rentals	1,375.0	0	1,375.0
6 Utilities	2,334.3	0	2,334.3
7 Purchase of Real Estate for FWMAF	2,500.0	0	2,500.0
8 Rental of Real Estate FWMAF	375.0	0	375.0

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(C) TABLE B3 (continued)

Chapter and Article	Total	US Support	RVN Support
20 TRAINING	2,510.8	1,250.0	1,260.8
1 ARVN Training	500.0	250.0	250.0
2 Military Ceremonies	10.8	0	10.8
3 Schools and Training Centers	2,000.0	1,000.0	1,000.0
21 FOREIGN TECHNICIANS	70.7	70.7	0
1 In-Country Expenses	70.7	70.7	0
22 SOCIAL WELFARE	1,225.0	0	1,225.0
1 Social Welfare Activities	1,225.0	0	1,225.0
23 LEGAL CLAIMS	122.6	0	122.6
1 Legal Cost	10.1	0	10.1
2 Damages	112.5	0	112.5
24 SPECIAL EXPENSES	187.5	0	187.5
1 Pacification Fund	187.5	0	187.5
26 MACV EXPENSES	31,250.0	31,250.0	0
1 Assistance-in-Kind	31,250.0	31,250.0	0
28 CHAPLAINS	335.1	0	335.1
1 Buddhist	186.9	0	186.9
2 Catholic	130.2	0	130.2
3 Protestant	18.0	0	18.0
29 POLWAR GENERAL DIVISION	1,362.6	0	1,362.6
1 Technical Equipment	51.7	0	51.7
2 Common Use Items	0	0	0
3 Permanent Civilian Personnel	0	0	0
4 Temporary Civilian Personnel	51.4	0	51.4
5 Operating Expenses	1,135.7	0	1,135.7
6 Polwar School	32.3	0	32.3
7 Military Sports	91.6	0	91.6
TOTAL CY 1967 GVN DEFENSE BUDGET	569,604.5	228,802.2	340,802.3

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(C) TABLE B4  
RVN Defense Budget Expenditures for Other Than Army, Regional Forces, and Popular Forces, CY65-CY67  
(In thousands of US dollars)

Chapter and article	CY65				CY66				CY67			
	Total	US support	RVN support	Total	US support	RVN support	Total	US support	RVN support	US support	RVN support	Total
02 OFFICERS' PAY & ALLOWANCES												
1 Base Pay	2,180.1	2,180.1	0	2,481.7	2,481.7	0	1,805.4	1,805.4	0			
2 Common Allowance	1,533.1	0	1,533.1	1,641.6	0	1,641.6	1,641.6	0	1,150.9			
3 Special Allowance	141.7	0	141.7	154.3	0	154.3	152.0	0	152.0			
5 Travel Allowance	0	0	0	38.2	0	38.2	20.8	0	20.8			
10 Provisional Pay Raise	0	0	0	0	0	0	752.1	453.1	289.0			
03 NCOs & EM PAY & ALLOWANCES												
1 Base Pay	8,862.1	8,009.2	852.9	9,075.7	9,073.7	0	6,723.4	6,723.4	0			
2 Common Allowance	7,107.0	0	7,107.0	13,650.6	0	13,650.6	9,863.7	0	9,863.7			
3 Special Allowance	566.7	0	566.7	956.9	0	956.9	778.4	0	778.4			
5 Travel Allowance	0	0	0	51.1	0	51.1	21.8	0	21.8			
12 Provisional Pay Raise	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,722.2	2,890.7	2,831.5			
04 PENSION & GRATUITY												
1 Disability Pension	338.3	0	338.3	386.7	0	386.7	0	0	0			
2 Retirement Pension	154.4	0	154.4	108.1	0	108.1	0	0	0			
3 Death Gratuity	285.3	0	285.3	636.9	0	636.9	424.1	0	424.1			
05 FOOD - SUBSISTENCE												
1 Base Food Allowances	1,666.4	0	1,666.4	154.4	0	154.4	83.8	0	83.8			
2 Admin. Rations	1,005.6	433.5	572.1	0	0	0	0	0	0			
3 Special Food Allowance	1,175.6	0	1,175.6	1,142.7	0	1,142.7	652.0	0	652.0			
4 Allowance Hospitalized Mil. Pers.	132.2	0	132.2	0	0	0	0	0	0			
5 Allowance Hospitalized Dependents	11.3	0	11.3	0	0	0	0	0	0			
6 Food for Third Country (FWAF)	399.7	399.7	0	365.0	365.0	0	0	0	0			

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Chapter and article	CY65			CY66			CY67		
	Total	US support	RVN support	Total	US support	RVN support	Total	US support	RVN support
06 TRANSPORTATION									
4 Temporary Personnel	8.3	0	8.3	0	0	0	0	0	0
7 Transportation of Personnel	122.3	0	122.3	66.6	0	66.6	56.0	0	56.0
8 Transportation of Material	370.3	212.7	157.6	315.0	152.5	162.5	323.6	161.3	161.3
07 AIR FORCE	913.7	149.4	864.3	1,063.6	82.1	981.5	1,087.9	66.4	921.5
08 VN NAVY	3,292.6	1,339.0	1,943.6	2,156.3	836.1	1,219.2	2,137.2	250.0	1,887.2
09 ORINANCE									
1 Technical Equipment	6.3	0	6.3	1.3	0	1.3	0	0	0
2 Common Items	15.4	7.2	8.2	20.9	10.1	10.8	6.5	0	6.5
3 Civilian Personnel	0	0	0	299.6	0	299.6	0	0	0
4 Temporary Personnel	88.2	0	88.2	112.6	0	112.6	0	0	0
5 Routine Operating Expenses	109.0	99.0	10.0	60.7	47.1	13.6	0	0	0
12 QUARTERMASTER									
1 Technical Equipment	1.1	1.0	.1	0	0	0	0	0	0
2 Common Use Items	52.5	32.6	19.9	33.3	31.0	2.3	0	0	0
3 Permanent Civilian Pers.	53.9	0	53.9	0	0	0	0	0	0
4 Temporary Personnel	224.7	0	224.7	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 Operating Expenses	5.6	0	5.6	22.4	0	22.4	0	0	0
6 Officer Furniture & Equipment	67.1	0	67.1	60.7	0	60.7	0	0	0
7 Quarters & Mess Furn. & Equip.	194.5	0	194.5	175.2	0	175.3	0	0	0
8 Clothing & Equipment	1,274.2	915.2	359.0	1,618.9	948.4	666.5	0	0	0
9 Unit Equipment	28.0	0	28.0	141.3	0	141.3	0	0	0
10 POL Expenses	10.5	7.2	3.3	11.4	5.6	5.8	0	0	0
11 Admin. Food & Operational Allowance	0	0	0	164.1	31.2	132.9	0	0	0

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TABLE B4 (continued)

(C)	Chapter and article	CY65			CY66			CY67		
		Total	US support	RVN support	Total	US support	RVN support	Total	US support	RVN support
19	FACILITIES & MAINTENANCE									
	1 Routine Maintenance	441.1	349.5	91.6	356.7	289.9	66.8	0	0	0
	2 Major Rehabilitation	189.8	80.3	109.5	83.3	35.5	47.8	0	0	0
	3 Real Estate Purchase	0	0	0	166.7	0	166.7	0	0	0
	4 Indemnification	0	0	0	166.7	0	166.7	0	0	0
	5 Rentals	288.5	0	288.5	166.7	0	166.7	0	0	0
	6 Utilities	225.0	0	225.0	250.0	0	250.0	0	0	0
	7 Real Estate Free World Purchase	0	0	0	833.3	0	833.3	2,500.0	0	2,500.0
	8 Real Estate Free World Rentals	0	0	0	500.0	0	500.0	375.0	0	375.0
20	TRAINING									
	1 RMAF Training	44.8	42.6	2.2	53.8	52.8	1.0	50.0	25.0	25.0
	2 RMAF Sports	4.9	0	4.9	0	0	0	0	0	0
	3 Schools & Training	151.3	119.9	31.4	189.0	133.7	55.3	149.4	80.6	68.8
	4 Military Ceremonies	.7	0	.7	.7	0	.7	1.1	0	1.1
23	LEGAL CLAIMS									
	1 Legal Costs	1.9	0	1.9	0	0	0	1.0	0	1.0
	2 Damages	0	0	0	13.3	0	13.3	11.3	0	11.3
26	MACV Expenses (ATK)	26672.3	26672.3	--	39651.6	39651.6	--	36458.3	36458.3	--
	TOTAL	62681.3	41765.8	20915.5	83727.2	55025.6	28701.6	74638.3	48861.4	25776.7

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(C) TABLE B5  
Estimated Allocations in the RVN Defense Budget for the RVN Army,  
Regional Forces, and Popular Forces, FY65-FY67  
(In thousands of dollars)

Category	FY65			FY66			FY67		
	Total	US support	RVN support	Total	US support	RVN support	Total	US support	RVN support
RVN Army	246,792.3	113,880.2	132,912.1	311,826.1	125,512.0	186,314.1	343,292.2	136,000.5	207,291.7
Regional Forces	68,128.0	183.8	67,944.2	91,847.0	18,374.7	73,472.3	99,503.6	37,820.8	61,682.8
Popular Forces	57,828.6	1,153.0	56,675.6	58,312.6	2,783.8	55,528.8	58,761.7	6,014.4	52,747.3
Total	372,748.9	115,217.0	257,531.9	461,985.7	146,670.5	315,315.2	501,557.5	179,835.7	321,721.8

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non-Army forces is a relatively small part of the total. The accompanying tabulation gives the allocation of element codes as used in this study. RAC-TP-232<sup>2</sup> and a MACV MAP List<sup>24</sup> contain the specific identification of each element code.

Category	Element code of specific recipient
RVN infantry divisions and separate infantry regiments and battalions	3AAB-3AAS
RVN Army noninfantry combat units	3AAT, 3AAU, 3AEA, 3AEO, 3AQA-3AQF
RVN Army combat-support units	3ARB-3ARZ, 3NAC
Support of RVN Army individual training and schools	7AAA, 7AAC, 7AAQ, 7ABC, 7ABD, 7ABQ, 7ABX, 7AFA
RVN Army intelligence units and activities	7BAA, 7BAB, 7BAD, 7BAE, 7BDT, 7BEB, 7BEO
RVN Army service support and command units	3BAA-3BAC, 3BAE, 3BAJ, 3BAN, 3BAO, 3BBA, 3BBD, 3BBJ, 3BBN, 3BBP, 3BBV, 4BFA, 7CBB, 7DAB, 7DAC, 7DAJ, 7DBL, 7DBP-7DBT, 7DBV, 7DCA, 7DCC, 7DCH, 7DCK, 7DCU, 7EAA, 7EAC-7EAE, 7EAH, 7EAM, 7EBE, 7EBJ, 7FAB, 7FAC, 7FAG, 7FAH, 7FBA, 7FBB, 7FBT, 7FCB, 7FCD, 7FCM
General support of RVN forces	3AUB, 3BUB-3BUD, 3BUO, 3BVO, 7DBD, 7DBE, 7DBG, 7DBH, 7DBJ, 7DBZ, 7DCJ
Regional Forces	3NAD, 3NAO, 3NBB, 3NDA, 3NDB, 3NDJ
Regional Forces training	7AAB
Popular Forces	3NAB, 3NAE

(U) Detailed data on US military assistance materiel for the RVN Army and the Regional Forces and Popular Forces are in Apps C and D respectively.

#### US MILITARY ASSISTANCE MATERIEL-AMMUNITION

(U) Ammunition provided by US military assistance programs for RVN forces is not identified by an element code to indicate the intended recipient in terms of specific units or forces. Special procedures are used by the US Army for programming ammunition for the RVN. These procedures, called "VAMP," are described in Ref 2. The total ammunition delivered by the US Army to the RVN for RVN forces is shown in Tables B6 to B8<sup>25-27</sup> and B9.<sup>25, 26, 28</sup> The generic code (see Ref 22) is used to identify general classes of materiel and services provided through US military assistance programs. The materiel described in the column "Redistribution" represents ammunition initially procured for a country other than the RVN but subsequently delivered to the RVN. The materiel described in the column "Reimbursable" represents new procurement.

(U) Ammunition was allocated primarily on the basis of the reported inventory of the appropriate weapons in the units of the RVN Army, Regional Forces, and Popular Forces, as shown in Table B10.<sup>29, 30</sup> The totals in all

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TABLE B6  
US Army Ammunition Deliveries for RVN Forces, FY65<sup>25</sup>  
(Quantities and dollars in thousands)

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Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution		Total	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G10	AMMUNITION UP TO 75 MM & GRENADES		20,671.0		17,276.9		-		37,947.9
G1A	22 Caliber	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
G1A	5.56 Caliber	1,352.0	101.5	-	-	-	-	1,352.0	101.5
G1B	30 Caliber	142,415.4	10,448.6	22,450.0	2,706.5	-	-	164,865.4	13,154.1
G1B	30 Caliber Carb	-	-	154,508.4	6,818.7	-	-	154,508.4	6,818.7
G1D	38 Caliber	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
G1E	45 Caliber	38,178.0	2,290.7	-	-	-	-	38,178.0	2,290.7
G1F	50 Caliber	-	-	500.2	155.1	-	-	500.2	155.1
G1K	40 MM	742.6	4,913.2	-	-	-	-	742.6	4,913.2
G1L	57 MM	-	-	57.2	382.2	-	-	57.2	382.2
G1M	60 MM Mortar	134.0	1,264.1	904.3	4,739.7	-	-	1,038.3	6,003.8
G1N	Shotgun	3,700.1	407.0	1,590.1	174.9	-	-	5,290.2	581.9
G1P	Grenades	488.3	1,245.9	1,679.7	2,299.8	-	-	2,168.0	3,545.7
G20	AMMUNITION 75 MM AND OVER		14,495.7		28,841.3		-		43,337.0
G2A	75 MM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
G2B	76 MM	45.9	1,342.8	28.0	617.5	-	-	73.9	1,960.3
G2C	81 MM Mortar	79.3	1,483.3	4.1	30.8	-	-	83.4	1,514.1
G2E	105 MM	78.0	2,854.5	1,227.8	25,501.2	-	-	1,305.8	28,355.7
G2F	106 MM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
G2G	4.2 Inch Mortar	37.1	853.1	-	-	-	-	37.1	853.1
G2M	155 MM	274.1	6,837.2	-	-	-	-	274.1	6,837.2
G2M	Chg Prop 155	89.3	1,124.8	216.8	2,691.8	-	-	306.1	3,816.6

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TABLE B6 (continued)

Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution		Total	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G30	LAND MINES AND EXPLOSIVES		203.9		80.6		-		284.5
G3A	Anti-Personnel Mines	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
G3C	Demolition Kits	-	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	1.8
G3Z	Other Explosives	3.9	202.1	-	80.6	-	-	3.9	282.7
G50	BOMBS AND ROCKETS		-		-		-		-
G5S	3.5 Inch Rockets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
G5Z	Other Rockets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
G60	PIROTECHNIC AND CHEMICAL MUNITIONS		414.2		51.9		-		466.1
G6A	Chemical Munitions	-	136.8	-	11.4	-	-	-	148.2
G6B	Pyrotechnics	-	277.4	-	40.5	-	-	-	317.9
G70	OTHER AMMUNITION		6,692.2		3,052.2		-		9,744.4
G7R	Fuzes and Primers	-	6,679.2	-	3,052.2	-	-	-	9,731.4
G7C	Ammunition Containers	-	13.0	-	-	-	-	-	13.0
G7D	Miscellaneous Other Ammunition	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	TOTALS		42,477.0		10,702.7		-		91,779.9

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TABLE B7  
US Army Ammunition Deliveries for RVN Forces, FY66<sup>26</sup>  
(Quantities and dollars in thousands)

Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution		Total	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
GLO	AMMUNITION UP TO 75 MM & GRENADES		51,166.2		9,678.2		1,256.3		62,100.7
GIA	22 Caliber	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GIA	5.56 Caliber	891.3	65.5	-	-	-	-	891.3	65.5
GIB	30 Caliber	417,115.6	29,562.6	19,097.9	2,369.0	-	-	436,213.5	31,931.6
GIB	30 Caliber Carb	59,797.2	2,391.9	114,779.2	4,890.1	-	-	174,576.4	7,282.0
GID	38 Caliber	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GIE	45 Caliber	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GIF	50 Caliber	-	-	3,203.1	993.0	-	-	3,203.1	993.0
GIK	40 MM	845.6	4,638.1	-	-	-	-	845.6	4,638.1
GIL	57 MM	-	-	112.4	751.0	-	-	112.4	751.0
GIM	60 MM Mortar	1,456.1	8,533.6	23.4	107.1	174.1	1,237.0	1,653.6	9,877.7
GIN	Shotgun	-	-	1,960.2	215.6	-	-	1,960.2	215.6
GIP	Grenades	2,920.2	5,974.5	112.5	352.4	3.5	19.3	3,036.2	6,346.2
G20	AMMUNITION 75 MM AND OVER		72,619.9		11,946.5		1,032.7		85,599.1
G2A	75 MM	-	-	13.3	196.9	-	-	13.3	196.9
G2B	76 MM	30.1	756.0	4.7	101.3	-	-	34.8	857.3
G2C	81 MM Mortar	740.4	7,921.8	6.3	47.3	36.1	902.6	782.8	8,871.7
G2E	105 MM	2,066.8	46,939.9	176.7	4,974.6	4.5	130.1	2,248.0	52,044.6
G2F	106 MM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
G2G	4.2 Inch Mortar	108.5	2,260.8	-	-	-	-	108.5	2,260.8
G2M	155 MM	528.6	14,098.8	-	-	-	-	528.6	14,098.8
G2N	Chg Prop 155	50.5	642.6	533.1	6,626.4	-	-	583.6	7,269.0

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TABLE B7 (continued)

Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution		Total	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G30	LAND MINES AND EXPLOSIVES		419.6		324.9		-		804.5
G3A	Anti-Personnel Mines	17.0	195.1	-	-	-	-	17.0	195.1
G3C	Demolition Kits	12.5	43.1	.1	.1	-	-	12.6	43.2
G3Z	Other Explosives	-	181.4	-	384.8	-	-	-	566.2
G50	BOMBS AND ROCKETS		-		7.3		-		7.3
G5S	3.5 Inch Rockets	-	-	.5	7.3	-	-	.5	7.3
G5Z	Other Rockets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
G60	PYROTECHNIC AND CHEMICAL MUNITIONS		1,732.2		48.7		-		1,780.9
G6A	Chemical Munitions	-	89.8	-	7.8	-	-	-	97.6
G6B	Pyrotechnics	-	1,642.4	-	40.9	-	-	-	1,683.3
G70	OTHER AMMUNITION		14,876.0		3,970.6		-		18,846.6
G7B	Fuzes and Primers	-	14,874.9	-	3,970.6	-	-	-	18,845.5
G7C	Ammunition Containers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
G7D	Miscellaneous Other Ammunition	-	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	1.1
TOTALS			140,813.9		26,036.2		2,289.0		169,139.1

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TABLE B8  
US Army Ammunition Deliveries for RVN Forces, FY67<sup>27</sup>  
(Quantities and dollars in thousands)

Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution		Total	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G10	AMMUNITION UP TO 75 MM & GRENADES		37,610.8		2,991.0		5,662.5		46,264.3
G1A	22 Caliber	260.0	2.6	-	-	-	-	260.0	2.6
G1A	5.56 Caliber	19,346.6	1,388.9	-	-	-	-	19,346.6	1,388.9
G1B	30 Caliber	196,486.5	16,257.1	2,073.8	158.4	34,806.7	2,946.3	233,367.0	19,361.8
G1B	30 Caliber Carb	120,543.8	5,818.2	-	-	-	-	120,543.8	5,818.2
G1D	38 Caliber	380.0	22.8	-	-	-	-	380.0	22.8
G1E	45 Caliber	26,754.0	1,376.7	-	-	-	-	26,754.0	1,376.7
G1F	50 Caliber	572.9	229.4	6,884.7	2,134.3	-	-	7,457.6	2,363.7
G1K	40 MM	1,040.3	4,447.2	-	-	-	-	1,040.3	4,447.2
G1L	57 MM	16.7	173.2	88.4	594.9	7.4	50.1	112.5	818.2
G1M	60 MM Mortar	178.3	2,276.6	59.4	4.8	334.0	2,582.8	571.7	4,864.2
G1N	Shotgun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
G1P	Grenades	2,350.1	5,618.1	141.5	98.6	63.3	83.3	2,554.9	5,800.0
G20	AMMUNITION 75 MM AND OVER		47,450.3		806.7		334.2		48,591.2
G2A	75 MM	-	-	2.5	36.5	-	-	2.5	36.5
G2B	76 MM	8.6	444.2	.8	19.1	-	-	9.4	463.3
G2C	81 MM Mortar	285.8	3,578.5	10.6	79.4	19.1	227.4	255.5	3,885.3
G2E	105 MM	1,107.4	27,116.8	1.6	81.0	3.5	106.8	1,112.5	27,304.6
G2F	106 MM	6.6	323.7	-	-	-	-	6.6	323.7
G2G	4.2 Inch Mortar	115.2	3,480.3	-	-	-	-	115.2	3,480.3
G2M	155 MM	260.5	9,257.9	-	-	-	-	260.5	9,257.9
G2M	Chg Prop 155	261.5	3,248.9	47.5	590.7	-	-	309.0	3,839.6

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TABLE B8 (continued)

Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution		Total	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G30	LAND MINES AND EXPLOSIVES		2,258.7		259.0		-		2,517.7
G3A	Anti-Personnel Mines	200.4	2,062.0	109.3	235.0	-	-	309.7	2,297.0
G3C	Demolition Kits	4.3	30.8	-	-	-	-	4.3	30.8
G3Z	Other Explosives	-	165.9	-	24.0	-	-	-	189.9
G50	BOMBS AND ROCKETS		295.8		301.2		-		597.0
G5S	3.5 Inch Rockets	-	-	24.0	301.2	-	-	24.0	301.2
G5Z	Other Rockets	.4	295.8	-	-	-	-	.4	295.8
G60	PIROTECHNIC AND CHEMICAL MUNITIONS		1,119.4		35.3		-		1,154.7
G6A	Chemical Munitions	-	45.8	-	28.1	-	-	-	73.9
G6B	Pyrotechnics	-	1,073.6	-	7.2	-	-	-	1,080.8
G70	OTHER AMMUNITION	-	15,849.6		-		-		15,849.6
G7B	Fuzes and Primers	-	15,849.6	-	-	-	-	-	15,849.6
G7C	Ammunition Containers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
G7D	Miscellaneous Other Ammunition	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	TOTALS		104,581.6		4,393.2		5,996.7		114,974.5

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(C) TABLE B9  
US Army Ammunition Deliveries for RVN Forces, FY65-FY67<sup>25,26,28</sup>  
(Quantities and dollars in thousands)

Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Pedistribution	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G10	AMMUNITION UP TO 75 MM & GRENADES		109,448.0		29,946.1		6,918.8
G1A	22 Caliber	260.0	2.6	-	-	-	-
G1A	5.56 Caliber	21,589.9	1,555.9	-	-	-	-
G1B	30 Caliber	756,017.5	56,268.3	198,130.1	12,052.6	34,806.7	2,946.3
G1B	30 Caliber Carb	180,341.0	8,210.1	114,779.2	4,890.1	-	-
G1D	38 Caliber	380.0	22.8	-	-	-	-
G1E	45 Caliber	64,932.0	3,667.4	-	-	-	-
G1F	50 Caliber	572.9	229.4	10,588.0	3,282.4	-	-
G1K	40 MM	2,628.5	13,998.5	-	-	-	-
G1L	57 MM	16.7	173.2	298.0	1,728.1	7.4	50.1
G1M	60 MM Mortar	1,768.4	12,074.3	987.1	4,851.6	508.1	3,819.8
G1N	Shotgun	3,700.1	407.0	3,550.3	390.5	-	-
G1P	Grenades	5,758.6	12,838.5	1,933.7	2,750.8	66.8	102.6
G20	AMMUNITION 75 MM AND OVER		134,565.9		41,594.5		1,366.9
G2A	75 MM	-	-	15.8	233.4	-	-
G2B	76 MM	84.6	2,543.0	33.5	737.9	-	-
G2C	81 MM Mortar	1,045.5	12,983.6	21.0	157.5	55.2	1,130.0
G2E	105 MM	3,292.2	76,911.2	1,406.1	30,556.8	8.0	236.9
G2F	106 MM	6.6	323.7	-	-	-	-
G2G	4.2 Inch Mortar	260.8	6,594.2	-	-	-	-
G2M	155 MM	1,063.2	30,193.9	-	-	-	-
G2M	Chg Prop 155	401.3	5,016.3	797.4	9,908.9	-	-

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TABLE B9 (continued)

Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G30	LAND MINES AND VELOCITIES		2,882.2		724.5		-
G3A	Anti-Personnel Mines	217.4	2,257.1	109.3	235.0	-	-
G3C	Demolition Kits	20.7	75.7	.1	.1	-	-
G3Z	Other Explosives	-	549.4	-	489.4	-	-
G50	BOMBS AND ROCKETS		295.8		308.5		-
G5S	3.5 Inch Rockets	-	-	24.5	308.5	-	-
G5Z	Other Rockets	.4	295.8	-	-	-	-
G60	PYROTECHNIC AND CHEMICAL MUNITIONS		3,265.8		135.9		-
G6A	Chemical Munitions	-	272.4	-	47.3	-	-
G6B	Pyrotechnics	-	2,993.4	-	88.6	-	-
G70	OTHER AMMUNITION		37,417.8		7,022.8		-
G7B	Fuzes and Primers	-	37,403.7	-	7,022.8	-	-
G7C	Ammunition Containers	8.0	13.0	-	-	-	-
G7D	Miscellaneous Other Ammunition	-	1.1	-	-	-	-
TOTALS			287,875.5		79,732.3		8,285.7

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TABLE B 10  
RVN Inventory of Selected Weapons, 30 June 1965 and 30 June 1967<sup>29,30</sup>

Weapons by ammunition type	30 June 1965						30 June 1967					
	RVN Army			Regional Forces			RVN Army			Regional Forces		
	Number	Percent of total	Total	Number	Percent of total	Total	Number	Percent of total	Total	Number	Percent of total	Total
5.56-mm AR15, M16	479	100.0	0	—	—	479	3,657	72.3	0	—	0	—
.30-cal carbine	117,279	37.2	49,276	15.6	64,328	20.4	315,408	132,227	34.0	84,426	21.7	96,254
Carbines, all types												24.7
.30-cal battle	11,744	49.5	7,499	31.8	2,901	12.3	23,538	12,927	36.0	9,291	25.8	9,567
BAR												26.6
.30-cal battle	84,235	72.6	16,188	13.9	6,348	5.5	116,062	83,196	51.4	35,506	21.9	34,797
Rifles, M1												21.5
.30-cal ball, linked	3,780	56.4	2,190	32.7	6	—	6,697	4,573	51.0	3,477	39.8	0
.30-cal machinegun	1,319	18.5	52	0.7	0	—	7,136	1,190	17.9	499	7.5	27
.38-cal ball												—
.45-cal												8,968
Pistols	15,068	45.3	5,246	15.8	9,402	28.3	33,266	18,902	52.1	11,894	32.8	337
Submachineguns	23,961	52.6	9,982	21.9	8,697	19.1	45,549	21,439	57.7	6,995	18.8	114
Total	39,026	49.5	15,226	19.3	18,099	23.0	78,815	40,341	54.2	18,889	25.4	451
.50-cal machinegun	804	62.5	14	1.1	0	—	1,296	747	48.4	203	13.2	0
.40-mm cartridge, all types												—
M79 launcher	2,457	83.0	20	0.7	0	—	2,960	5,192	63.2	1,861	22.7	0
57-mm cartridge, all types												—
57-mm M18	552	88.7	3	—	0	—	622	807	91.3	0	—	—
60-mm cartridge, all types												894
60-mm mortars	1,089	38.9	1,567	56.0	0	—	2,796	1,569	47.1	1,611	48.4	0
81-mm cartridge, all types												—
81-mm mortars	667	81.6	27	3.3	0	—	817	697	73.5	127	13.4	0
12-gage cartridge	1,423	1.6	209	0.2	16,104	18.3	88,202	738	2.3	232	0.7	3,355
Shotguns, all types												10.5
Grenades, rifle												—
Rifle grenade launchers	14,575	59.2	4,599	18.7	4,609	18.7	24,602	10,573	30.1	8,223	23.4	9,350
												26.6
												35,096

<sup>a</sup>Includes packed in cartons, S-round clips, blanks, and tracer.  
<sup>b</sup>Packed in B-round clips.

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cases do not equal 100 percent because of weapons in the units of other RVN armed forces or provided for the New Life program for rural security. Hand grenades and land mines and explosives were allocated as shown in the accompanying tabulation, based on qualitative judgment.

Recipient	Percent received
RVN Army	50
Regional Forces	30
Popular Forces	20

(U) The data for 1967 in Table B10 were used for determining the ammunition allocations for FY66 because of the lack of weapons-inventory data for FY66. The resulting allocations are given in Apps C and D.

### US MILITARY ASSISTANCE MATERIEL-- NON-RVN FORCES

(U) Data on US military assistance materiel furnished to the RVN often include materiel shipped to the RVN for non-RVN forces such as the contin-

(C) TABLE B11  
US Military Assistance Materiel Expenditures for  
Non-RVN Forces in the RVN, 1 July 1965-30  
June 1967<sup>31,32</sup>  
(In thousands of dollars)

Force	1 Jul 65- 25 Mar 66	26 Mar 66- 30 Jun 67	Total
Korea <sup>a</sup>	2531	24,742	27,273
Philippines <sup>b</sup>	752	2,886	3,638
Total	3283	27,628	30,911

<sup>a</sup>Includes MAP element codes 7XKS, 3XKS, 3YKS, 3ZKS.

<sup>b</sup>Includes MAP element code 7XPI.

gents from Korea, the Philippines, and Thailand.<sup>31, 32</sup> In this study materiel for such non-RVN forces has been excluded. The magnitude of this materiel is indicated in Table B11.

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## FORCE STRUCTURE

(U) Table C1<sup>32,4</sup> shows the available data on assigned strengths of RVN Army combat units and the relation to total RVN Army assigned strength.

(U) The authorized force structures of the RVN Army are under constant modification and complete tabulations are published at different times. These tabulations usually do not fully reflect in all detail the force structure at time of publication. Table C2<sup>33-35</sup> shows the best available data on the authorized RVN Army force structure at the year-end. It is believed that most of the units indicated were organized but not maintained at the authorized strength levels. Detailed data on the authorized composition and major mission items of selected units are at the end of this appendix (Figs. C2-C7).

(U) Table C3<sup>23</sup> shows a functional analysis made by HQ USMACV of the authorized RVN Army force structure as of 24 April 1967. This force structure differs only in minor detail from that shown for FY67 in Table C2.

## STRENGTHS

(U) Table C4<sup>36</sup> shows the assigned strength and other data on personnel turnover of the RVN Army.

## LOGISTICS

(U) Figure C1<sup>11</sup> shows the prescribed logistics channels for the RVN Army existing on 1 July 1967. It is believed that there were no significant changes during the period FY65-FY67, but the logistical arrangements shown in Fig. C1 do not necessarily reflect those that existed. For example, the control of the corps area logistical commands by the supported corps area commander is believed to have been more extensive than indicated.

## MATERIEL AND MAINTENANCE

### General

(U) The data available on materiel and maintenance for the RVNAF are often inconsistent and do not cover uniform time periods or the same items of information. The data used in this study are based, where possible, on original source documents rather than secondary compilations such as the Army Materiel Command "Army Military Assistance Program Summary Report (RCS: DD-ISA (Q) - 1054)" and the Office, Secretary of Defense, "Journal of Military Assistance."

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(C) TABLE C1  
RVN Army Combat-Unit Strengths on Various Dates<sup>2a</sup>

Unit	31 Jan 66		30 Jun 66		31 Dec 66		31 Jan 67		30 Jun 67	
	Assigned	Present for duty	Assigned	Present for duty	Assigned	Present for duty	Assigned	Present for duty	Assigned	Present for duty
Divisions, total	113,938	90,978	103,630	87,573	107,625	95,180	110,645	97,456	105,290	95,942
1st	13,342	10,885	12,415	10,194	11,819	10,627	11,423	10,370	12,279	11,029
2d	10,464	8,194	11,501	8,904	11,482	9,961	11,743	10,377	10,961	9,740
22d	10,653	8,744	11,092	9,948	11,029	10,224	12,005	10,886	12,357	11,292
23d	8,173	6,750	7,788	6,691	7,572	6,896	7,674	6,881	6,683	6,113
5th	11,319	8,754	10,320	8,643	11,514	9,979	12,465	10,917	11,690	10,594
18th	10,335	8,018	7,985	6,725	10,016	8,998	9,889	8,375	9,446	8,870
25th	12,604	8,168	10,456	7,750	11,269	8,943	11,555	9,763	10,838	9,664
7th	13,286	11,664	10,546	8,967	11,365	10,481	11,767	10,577	10,762	10,056
9th	11,096	9,427	9,598	8,268	10,833	9,735	10,853	9,784	9,590	8,611
21st	12,686	10,374	11,929	9,483	10,676	9,336	11,271	9,526	10,704	9,993
Percent of total Army	41.8		37.5		37.9		39.2		36.7	
Nondivisional combat units, total	28,962	22,381	27,687	22,068	29,311	25,357	29,242	26,187	29,466	25,293
Separate infantry regiments (2)	4,702	3,914	5,347	4,534	5,415	4,980	5,494	4,910	5,148	4,690
Ranger	11,420	8,694	9,654	7,762	9,694	8,698	9,656	8,668	9,852	8,921
Armored cavalry	6,232	4,642	6,403	5,635	6,307	5,640	6,205	5,649	5,989	5,414
Airborne	6,608	5,131	6,283	5,037	7,895	6,039	7,877	6,960	8,477	6,268
Percent of total Army	10.6		10.0		10.3		10.4		10.3	
Divisional and nondivisional combat units, total	142,920	113,359	131,317	108,541	136,936	120,537	139,887	123,643	134,756	121,255
Percent of total Army	52.4		47.5		48.2		49.6		47.0	
Total RVN Army	272,800		276,500		283,900		281,900		286,800	

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TABLE C2  
RVN Army Authorized Force Structure, FY65-FY67

Unit	FY65 <sup>32</sup>		FY66 <sup>34</sup>		FY67 <sup>35</sup>	
	Number	Aggregate military strength	Number	Aggregate military strength	Number	Aggregate military strength
Ministry of National Defense and Office of Chief of State	—	610	—	1,065	—	1,020
HQ RVNAF Staff	—	5,390	—	5,927	—	6,403
Corps HQ units	4	2,228 <sup>a</sup>	4	2,220	4	2,248
Area logistical commands	4	990 <sup>a</sup>	5	1,060	5	1,060
Special zones	—	464 <sup>a</sup>	—	347	—	581
Administrative units (AG types)	—	2,000	—	4,587	—	5,995
Airborne division	—	—	—	—	—	—
8 battalions	—	6,352	—	8,150	—	8,150
Armored (total)	—	5,116	—	6,919	—	6,964
Tank troops	1	136	5	580	5	580
Armored cav troop	—	—	3	270	3	270
Mech rifle troop	2	396	24	4,464	24	4,464
Separate artillery (total)	—	—	—	—	—	3,285
155-mm battalion, separate	5	2,900	6	3,480	6	3,240
Highlander Scout Group	1	2,390	1	2,390	1	2,390
Infantry divisions	9	88,254	10	119,558	10	109,714
Infantry regiment, separate	4	9,528	1	3,123	1	2,823
Infantry battalion, separate	4	2,496	5	3,276	6	3,900
Other separate infantry units	—	882	—	1,369	—	1,368
Ranger units	—	14,536	—	14,730	—	13,970
Ranger battalions	20	12,920	20	13,180	20	13,180
Special Forces	—	2,395	—	2,685	—	3,042
Military intelligence and security units	—	2,812	—	3,928	—	4,328
Psychological warfare units	—	2,028	—	2,028	—	2,339
Schools and training activities	—	20,236	—	24,783	—	15,689
Students	—	5,727	—	6,793	—	25,500
Chemical units	—	—	—	110	—	110
Engineer units (total)	—	11,598	—	17,159	—	17,133
Engineer battalion, construction	5	3,095	7	4,285	7	4,249
Engineer battalion, light combat	6	3,240	12	6,480	12	6,480
Medical units	—	8,802	—	10,265	—	7,185
Military Police units	—	—	—	24,690	—	3,746
Ordnance units	—	6,537	—	7,628	—	8,088
Quartermaster units	—	1,883	—	2,318	—	2,368
Signal units	—	7,076	—	9,319	—	9,613
Transportation units	—	3,649	—	6,816	—	7,035
Miscellaneous	—	—	—	—	—	6,600
Total authorized RVN Army	—	208,603	—	274,667	—	283,047
Total assigned RVN Army at end of fiscal year	—	234,100	—	276,506	—	282,700

<sup>a</sup>Includes Military Police units.

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(C) **TABLE C3**  
**Functional Analysis of RVN Army Authorized Force**  
**Structure as of 24 April 1967<sup>23</sup>**

Unit	Aggregate military strength	Percent of total RVN Army
Combat	150,855	53.3
Divisional <sup>a</sup>	117,964	41.6
Combat	93,265	—
Combat support	17,427	—
Combat service support	7,272	—
Nondivisional	32,891	11.6
Separate infantry units	9,242	3.3
Armored units	6,919	2.4
Rangers	13,896	4.9
Special Forces	2,834	—
Combat support	31,391	11.1
Artillery units	3,240	4.7
Engineer units	9,231	3.3
Signal units	7,683	2.7
Military Police units	4,026	1.4
Military intelligence and security units	4,872	1.7
Psychological operations units	2,339	—
Combat service support	34,459	12.2
Engineer units	7,902	2.8
Medical units	7,185	2.5
Ordnance units	8,198	2.9
Quartermaster units	2,368	—
Signal units	1,771	0.6
Transportation units	7,035	—
Administrative overhead	50,879	18.0
Above corps level	12,079	—
Corps level and below	6,300	—
Pipeline	32,500	11.5
Training base	15,604	5.5
Total	283,188	—

<sup>a</sup>Apparently includes 8 airborne battalions.

(U) The change from the DOD Military Assistance Program to service funding of military assistance for the RVN on 25 March 1966 has resulted in the unavailability of data on deliveries of materiel (except ammunition) for FY66 and FY67. Rather the available data cover the periods 1 July 1965–25 March 1966 and 26 March 1966–30 June 1967. The available data for the earlier period include the acquisition cost of excess weapons. This information is not included in the data for the later period. Further, the data for the later period identify equipment and supplies only by generic code and Federal stock number.

(U) Table C5 shows the estimated total cost of materiel and maintenance for the RVN Army. The method used to make this estimate and more detailed data are given in the following paragraphs.

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(C) TABLE C4  
RVN Army Monthly Personnel Strengths and Losses, FY65-FY67<sup>a</sup>  
(All numbers in thousands except average rate per 1000 per month)

RVN Army	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Monthly average	Average rate per 1000 per month
FY65														
Assigned strength	196.0	197.4	203.5	205.8	211.1	220.4	218.3	218.5	217.6	224.5	229.1	234.1	214.7	—
Accessions <sup>b</sup>	6.0	6.9	4.2	4.5	11.5	9.4	4.3	5.8	12.0	9.3	13.2	10.5	8.1	37.7
Losses														
Desertions	1.1	1.3	1.6	2.5	2.7	2.4	2.3	2.5	4.9	3.4	4.2	2.6	2.6	12.1
Discharges	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	1.0	0.3	1.2 <sup>b</sup>	1.3 <sup>b</sup>	2.3 <sup>b</sup>	2.3 <sup>b</sup>	1.6 <sup>b</sup>	0.6	1.0	4.6
KIA	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.4 <sup>c</sup>	0.4 <sup>c</sup>	0.4 <sup>c</sup>	0.5 <sup>c</sup>	0.8 <sup>c</sup>	0.5 <sup>c</sup>	2.1
MIA <sup>d</sup>	—	—	0.1	0.1	—	—	0.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
FY66														
Assigned strength	243.5	250.3	257.7	264.1	263.9	267.9	272.8	273.9	278.0	277.6	273.4	276.5	266.6	—
Losses														
Desertions	3.1	3.7	3.8	5.1	4.3	5.2	4.6	6.9	6.2	5.3	5.9	4.5	4.9	18.4
Discharges	2.1 <sup>b</sup>	1.3 <sup>b</sup>	2.2 <sup>b</sup>	1.8 <sup>b</sup>	1.3 <sup>b</sup>	2.0 <sup>b</sup>	1.0	0.8	0.9	0.4	0.4	0.8	1.3	4.9
KIA	0.7 <sup>c</sup>	0.4 <sup>c</sup>	0.4 <sup>c</sup>	0.7 <sup>c</sup>	0.7 <sup>c</sup>	0.5 <sup>c</sup>	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5 <sup>c</sup>	1.9 <sup>c</sup>
MIA <sup>d</sup>	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	—	—	—	0.1	—	—
FY67														
Assigned strength	280.4	282.5	284.6	280.9	282.2	283.9	281.9	280.1	281.2	283.2	284.3	286.8	282.7	—
Accessions	9.0	7.8	8.0	8.0	7.2	6.4	6.7	4.7	7.4	8.0	5.7	9.3	7.4	26.2
Losses														
Desertions	3.8	4.5	6.5	4.9	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.8	3.7	2.9	3.0	2.9	3.9	13.8
Discharges	0.9	1.2	1.2	0.8	0.9	1.2	1.1	0.7	0.9	1.1	1.7	1.5	1.1	3.9
KIA	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.4	1.4
MIA <sup>d</sup>	0.1 <sup>b</sup>	0.1 <sup>b</sup>	0.1 <sup>b</sup>	0.1 <sup>b</sup>	0.1 <sup>b</sup>	0.2	0.1 <sup>b</sup>	0.1 <sup>b</sup>	0.2 <sup>b</sup>	0.1 <sup>b</sup>	—	0.1 <sup>b</sup>	0.1 <sup>b</sup>	—

<sup>a</sup>Based on Refs 2, 9, 10, 14, 22a, and 36.

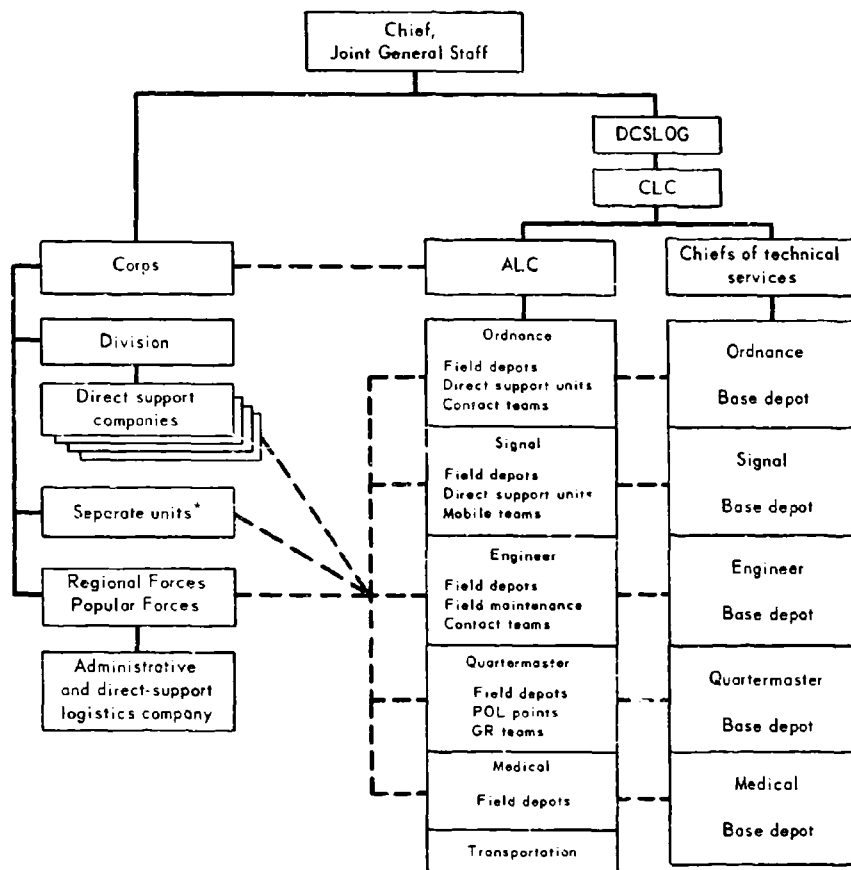
<sup>b</sup>Ninety percent of RVN regular forces totals.

<sup>c</sup>Total KIA, MIA, and other dead.

<sup>d</sup>Includes captured.

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(U) The estimate in Table C5 includes some materiel for the Regional Forces, Popular Forces, and the RVN Navy, Marines, and Air Force. This materiel comprises mostly repair parts and other consumables and items for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces to replace materiel lost through attrition. The furnishing of repair parts to the other RVN armed services stems



(U) Fig. C1—RVNAF Logistics Channels, 1 July 1967<sup>11</sup>

— Command channels — — — Supply and maintenance channels

\*Includes Air Force and Navy for common items.

from the RVN Army maintenance responsibilities for certain common equipment. It is surmised that the cost of the materiel for non-RVN Army elements does not exceed 3 percent of the total.

(U) In preparing Table C5 it was assumed that expenditures for materiel and maintenance (less ammunition) during FY66 and FY67 were made at a uniform rate.

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TABLE C5  
Estimated Total Cost of Materiel and Maintenance for the RVN Army, FY65-FY67  
(In thousands of dollars except per capita costs, which are in dollars.)

Description and generic code	FY65			FY66			FY67			FY65-FY67		
	Cost	Percent of total cost	Annual per capita cost	Cost	Percent of total cost	Annual per capita cost	Cost	Percent of total cost	Annual per capita cost	Cost	Percent of total cost	Average annual per capita cost
US military assistance												
Materiel	215,120.9	87.6	1092.0	238,277.4	85.5	893.8	181,002.4	78.2	647.3	636,400.7	83.9	833.0
Combat vehicles (D00)	12,104.0	4.0	56.4	3,959.4	1.4	14.8	3,494.6	1.5	12.4	19,558.0	2.6	25.6
Miscellaneous boats and craft (C00)	994.0	0.4	4.6	137.9	0.0	0.5	13.8	0.0	0.0	1,145.7	0.2	1.5
Tactical and support vehicles (F00)	17,534.0	7.1	81.7	23,172.0	8.3	86.9	13,680.6	5.8	48.4	54,386.6	7.2	71.2
Weapons (F00)	15,088.0	6.1	70.3	4,201.1	1.5	15.8	5,050.2	2.2	17.9	24,339.3	3.2	31.8
Ammunition (G00)	74,029.4	30.1	344.8	128,014.5	45.9	480.2	89,193.4	38.1	315.5	291,237.3	38.4	381.2
Communications equipment (H00)	13,503.0	5.5	62.9	3,580.4	1.3	13.4	6,624.6	2.8	23.4	23,707.0	3.1	31.0
Other support equipment (I00)	13,486.0	5.5	2.8	8,929.8	3.2	33.5	11,819.4	5.1	41.8	34,235.2	4.5	44.8
Supplies (K00)	42,074.0	17.1	196.0	38,854.2	13.9	145.7	28,031.0	12.0	99.2	108,959.2	14.4	142.6
Subtotal	188,811.4	76.8	—	210,849.3	75.7	—	157,907.6	67.5	—	557,568.3	73.5	—
Supply operations (L37)	24,545.5	10.0	—	27,410.4	9.8	—	20,528.0	8.8	—	72,481.9	9.6	—
Rehabilitation (M2)	1,764.0	0.7	—	17.7	0.0	—	—	—	—	1,781.7	0.2	—
US Army, Vietnam, nonreimbursable	nd <sup>a</sup>	nd	—	nd	nd	—	4,566.8	1.9	—	4,566.8	0.6	—
RVN defense budget	29,870.5	12.2	139.1	10,378.3	14.5	151.4	50,903.9	21.8	180.1	121,152.7	16.0	158.6
RVN	13,791.7	5.6	64.2	25,711.2	9.2	96.4	31,558.8	13.5	111.6	71,061.7	9.4	93.0
US support	16,078.8	6.6	74.9	14,667.1	5.3	55.0	19,345.1	8.3	68.4	50,091.0	6.6	65.6
Maintenance of materiel	684.7	0.3	3.2	45.0	0.0	0.2	80.3	0.0	0.3	810.0	0.1	1.1
RVN	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
US support	684.7	0.3	3.2	45.0	0.0	0.2	80.3	0.0	0.3	810.0	0.1	1.1
Total	245,676.1	100.0	1144.3	278,700.7	100.0	1045.4	233,086.6	100.0	827.7	758,363.4	100.0	992.6
RVN	13,791.7	5.6	64.2	25,711.2	9.2	96.4	31,558.8	13.5	111.6	71,061.7	9.4	93.0
US support	231,884.4	94.4	1080.0	252,989.5	90.8	948.9	202,427.8	86.5	716.1	687,301.7	90.6	899.6

<sup>a</sup>No data.

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TABLE C6  
Estimated Expenditures for US Military Assistance Material for RVN Army  
Less Ammunition, FY65-FY67  
(In thousands of dollars)

Item and generic code	FY65 <sup>2</sup>			1 Jul 65-25 Mar 66			26 Mar 66-30 Jun 67			Total, FY65-FY67		
	Number	Cost	Percent of total cost	Number	Cost	Percent of total cost	Number	Cost	Percent of total cost	Number	Cost	Percent of total cost
Combat vehicles (D00)	264	12,194.0	9.2	127	3,085.7	4.1	181	4,368.3	4.5	572	19,558.0	6.5
Car, personnel, armored M113 (D1A)	154	4,438.0	—	77	1,505.0	—	122	1,290.7	—	353	7,233.7	—
Car, armored (D1C)	—	—	—	48	1,440.0	—	59	3,077.6	—	107 <sup>a</sup>	4,517.6	—
Tank, light (D1A)	110	7,666.0	—	2	140.7	—	—	—	—	112	7,806.7	—
Miscellaneous boats and craft (C5Z)	—	994.0	0.8	447	134.4	0.2	20	17.3	0.0	467	1,145.7	0.4
Tactical and support vehicles (F00)	1,782	17,534.0	13.3	4,007	19,751.9	26.6	3,632	17,100.7	17.6	9,421	54,386.6	18.0
Trailers, all types (F1B, F1D, F2A, F2B, F2E)	nd <sup>b</sup>	14.0	—	924	1,291.7	—	448	1,600.2	—	1,372 <sup>a</sup>	2,905.9	—
Truck, 4-ton, ABT (F3A)	1,016	1,792.0	—	1,084	1,955.2	—	1,763	3,299.4	—	3,863	7,046.6	—
Truck, 4-ton, ABT (F3C)	nd	nd	—	395	1,239.5	—	471	1,463.0	—	866 <sup>a</sup>	2,702.5	—
Truck, 2 1/2-ton, ABT (F3K, F3L, F3M, F3N)	766	4,390.0	—	1,240	8,132.6	—	525	4,252.1	—	2,531	16,774.7	—
Truck, 5-ton, ABT (F3T, F3W, F3X)	nd	nd	—	357	7,128.9	—	425	6,486.0	—	782 <sup>a</sup>	13,614.9	—
Truck, other (F4D)	nd	11,338.0	—	7	4.0	—	—	—	—	7 <sup>a</sup>	11,342.0	—
Weapons (F00)	24,562	15,088.0	11.5	75,967	2,938.6	4.0	117,081	6,312.7	6.5	217,610	24,339.3	8.0
Pistols (F1A)	4,372	270.0	—	1,952	36.7	—	2,662	72.8	—	9,346	279.5	—
Carbines (F1B)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rifles, 30-cal M1 (F1C)	—	6,472.0	—	31,103	1,355.4	—	59,202	2,725.5	—	90,305 <sup>a</sup>	10,532.9	—
Rifles, Browning automatic (F1C)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Machineguns, 30-cal (F1E)	4,560	1,404.0	—	324	60.5	—	783	207.2	—	5,667	1,671.7	—
Grenade launchers, M7 (F1L)	14,104	854.0	—	1,600	35.3	—	5,386	843.1	—	21,090	1,732.4	—
60-mm mortar (F1M)	954	580.0	—	73	13.6	—	260	40.8	—	1,287	634.4	—
81-mm mortar (F2S)	—	—	—	30	5.0	—	120	30.6	—	150	35.6	—
Rifle, recoilless 57-mm (F1Z)	—	—	—	50	91.9	—	6	24.8	—	236	2,680.7	—
Howitzer, 105-mm (F2H)	180	2,564.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Howitzer, 155-mm (F2J)	32	784.0	—	21	74.2	—	36	203.7	—	89	1,061.9	—

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Weapons, spare parts (F9)	1,618.0	—	—	1,135.5	—	—	742.7	—	—	3,696.2	—
Other weapons (F10)	342.0	—	40,814	72.6	—	48,626	1,315.1	—	89,440	1,729.7	—
Fire-control instruments (F4D)	—	—	—	77.9	—	—	106.4	—	—	184.3	—
Other equipment	69,062.0	52.5	—	39,745.7	53.6	—	58,093.7	59.9	—	166,901.4	55.1
Communications equipment (H00)	13,502.0	10.3	—	1,924.3	2.6	—	8,280.7	8.5	—	23,707.0	7.8
Telephone and telegraph equipment (H1)	nd	—	—	120.0	—	—	1,127.3	—	—	1,247.3 <sup>a</sup>	—
Radio equipment (H2)	nd	—	—	1,275.4	—	—	4,047.2	—	—	5,322.6 <sup>a</sup>	—
Other communications equipment (H6)	nd	—	—	106.6	—	—	847.3	—	—	953.9 <sup>a</sup>	—
Communications equipment and spare parts (H9)	nd	—	—	422.3	—	—	2,258.9	—	—	2,681.2 <sup>a</sup>	—
Other support equipment (J00)	13,486.0	10.3	—	5,975.0	8.1	—	14,774.2	15.2	—	34,235.2	11.3
Chemical equipment (J1)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Construction equipment (J2)	2,414.0	—	—	2,067.8	—	—	2,916.6	—	—	7,394.4	—
Materials-handling equipment (J3)	900.0	—	—	110.9	—	—	285.9	—	—	1,296.8	—
Photographic equipment (J4)	334.0	—	—	280.0	—	—	526.3	—	—	1,140.3	—
Other equipment (J6)	9,092.0	—	—	3,426.8	—	—	11,036.6	—	—	23,555.4	—
Other support equipment and spares (J9)	746.0	—	—	89.5	—	—	8.8	—	—	844.3	—
Supplies (K00)	42,074.0	32.0	—	31,846.4	42.9	—	35,038.8	36.2	—	106,959.2	36.0
Clothing and textiles (K1)	16,110.0	—	—	12,628.8	—	—	12,982.9	—	—	41,721.7	—
Medical (K2)	4,468.0	—	—	5,494.1	—	—	14,593.4	—	—	24,555.5	—
Subsistence (K3)	366.0	—	—	166.6	—	—	—	—	—	532.6	—
General (K4)	2,342.0	—	—	2,974.7	—	—	1,274.2	—	—	6,590.9	—
Industrial (K5)	704.0	—	—	803.9	—	—	262.8	—	—	1,770.7	—
Petroleum (K6)	5,062.0	—	—	3,160.9	—	—	620.6	—	—	8,843.5	—
Construction (K7)	3,240.0	—	—	1,202.7	—	—	2,049.0	—	—	6,491.7	—
Automotive (K8)	8,400.0	—	—	4,658.5	—	—	3,191.1	—	—	16,249.6	—
Electronic (K9)	1,382.0	—	—	756.2	—	—	64.8	—	—	2,203.0	—
Total materiel	114,782.0	87.3	—	65,656.3	88.5	—	85,892.7	88.5	—	266,331.0	88.0
Supply operations (13% of materiel)	14,922.0	11.4	—	8,525.4	11.5	—	11,152.7	11.5	—	34,600.1	11.4
Rehabilitation of equipment (M2)	1,764.0	1.3	—	17.7	0.0	—	—	0.0	—	1,781.7	0.6
Total	131,468.0	100.0	—	74,199.4	100.0	—	97,045.4	100.0	—	302,712.8	100.0

<sup>a</sup>Total for FY66-FY67 only.

<sup>b</sup>No data.

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### Materiel, Less Ammunition

(U) Table C6<sup>2</sup> shows the estimated total US military assistance expenditures for materiel and maintenance (less ammunition) for the RVN Army for the period FY65-FY67.

(U) Tables C7 to C12<sup>31, 32</sup> show total US military assistance expenditures for materiel and maintenance (less ammunition) for the period FY66-FY67 by functional grouping of recipient units and activities of the RVN Army. No data are readily available to permit a similar breakdown for FY65.

(U) No data are available to relate deliveries of US military assistance materiel to inventories of materiel in the hands of the RVN Army. This is primarily because US data refer to constructive deliveries (turned over to a common carrier in the CONUS for delivery to the RVN) and not to actual receipts by RVN authorities.

(C) Table C13<sup>29, 30, 37</sup> shows the available data on inventories of weapons in the RVN Army. The total numbers of weapons increased in proportion to increase in strength. However, there was a decline in the density in units of most weapons per 1000 assigned strength. It was not possible to determine any reasons for the decline in the density of small arms in units to less than 1 per assigned individual except possible maldistribution.<sup>36</sup>

(U) Tables C14<sup>39-42</sup> and C15<sup>27, 43</sup> show respectively the available data on inventories of selected vehicles and signal items in the RVN Army. The data on inventory of signal items have not been related to personnel strength because such a relation is not considered particularly meaningful for planning purposes.

### Ammunition

(U) Almost all ammunition for the RVN Army was furnished by the US. Tables C16 to C19 show the annual and cumulative deliveries for the RVN Army for the period FY65-FY67. The method used to determine the ammunition allocation for the RVN Army is described in App B. The data in Tables C16 to C19 do not include the 13 percent additional cost factor to cover supply operations (see App B).

(U) Table C20 shows per capita factors on the cost and amounts of the ammunition for the RVN Army. The cost factors do not include the costs of supply operations (13 percent).

### US Army, Vietnam, Nonreimbursable Support Costs

(C) HQ US Army, Vietnam provided some support through its logistical system for the RVN Army on a nonreimbursable basis.<sup>44</sup> Few data are available on the nature and magnitude of this support, but it is surmised that the magnitude of this support was negligible compared with that furnished through US military assistance programs. The available data indicate that the costs of such support in FY67 amounted to \$4,566,821.<sup>45</sup>

### RVN Expenditures for Materiel

(U) The only available data on RVN expenditures for materiel are contained in the RVN defense budgets. Table C21 shows the data derived from those budgets that pertain to the RVN Army. It is believed that the data also include expenditures for materiel required primarily for maintenance.

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**TABLE C7**  
**US Military Assistance Materiel Deliveries for RVN Army Divisions and**  
**Separate Infantry Regiments, FY66-FY67<sup>31,32</sup>**  
(In thousands of dollars)

Item	Jul 65-25 Mar 66			Mar 66-Jun 67		Total, FY66-FY67	
	Number	Funded cost	Original acquisition cost	Number	Funded cost	Number	Funded cost
Trailer, 25-ton	2	10.2	—	—	—	2	10.2
Trailers, 1½-ton, ABT	471	506.7	—	28	45.5	499	552.2
Truck, ¼-ton, M606	389	702.8	—	218	407.1	607	1109.9
Truck, 1-ton	111	354.8	—	6	19.0	117	373.8
Truck, 2½-ton, ABT	264	1732.3	—	4	25.2	268	1757.5
Truck, 5-ton, ABT	61	1337.5	—	29	318.3	90	1655.8
Pistol, .45-cal	899	24.3	51.2	1,065	28.8	1,964	53.1
Carbine, .30-cal	5,381	180.9	414.3	7,346	241.8	12,727	422.7
Rifle, BAR	5,558	364.4	655.7	2,473	316.1	8,031	602.3
Rifle, M1	723	25.3	68.0	14,389	646.7	15,112	750.2
Bayonets	16,106	28.6	—	16,106	28.6	32,212	57.2
Machinegun, .30-cal	155	36.7	57.2	300	44.6	455	81.3
Grenade launchers, M7	654	11.2	—	2,800	470.9	3,454	482.1
60-mm mortars	4	0.5	2.5	94	12.4	98	12.9
Rifle, 57-mm, M18A2	—	—	—	65	21.0	65	21.0
105-mm howitzers	36	62.7	623.8	—	—	36	62.7
81-mm mortars	60	11.9	52.6	60	11.9	120	23.8
Fire-control instruments	—	56.7	—	—	57.8	—	114.5
Telephone and telegraph	—	18.0	—	—	117.1	—	135.1
Radio equipment	—	306.1	—	—	694.1	—	1000.2
Other communications equipment	—	9.0	—	—	9.3	—	18.3
Construction equipment	—	54.5	—	—	34.6	—	89.1
Other photo equipment	—	—	—	—	2.2	—	2.2
Other equipment	—	160.9	164.9	—	105.0	—	265.9
General supplies	—	15.2	—	—	2.4	—	17.6
Construction-equipment parts	—	—	—	—	16.4	—	16.4
Electronic supplies	—	6.6	—	—	50.0	—	56.6
Trailer, low bed, 8-ton	—	—	—	3	10.1	3	10.1
<b>Total</b>	—	6017.8	—	—	3736.8	—	9754.8

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TABLE C8

## US Military Assistance Materiel Deliveries for RVN Army Noninfantry Combat Units,<sup>a</sup> FY66-FY67<sup>31,32</sup>

(In thousands of dollars)

Item	Jul 65-25 Mar 66			26 Mar 66-30 Jun 67		Total FY66-FY67	
	Number	Funded cost	Original acquisition cost	Number	Funded cost	Number	Funded cost
Boat, assault plastic 16 ft	—	—	—	14	5.8	14	5.8
Car, personnel, armored, M113	45	849.4	—	70	412.4	115	1,261.8
Car, armored commando	48	1440.0	—	59	3077.6	107	4,517.6
Trailer, 25-ton	—	—	—	9	45.7	9	45.7
Trailers, 25-ton, ABT	179	219.6	—	128	108.5	307	328.1
Trailer, low bed, 8-ton	—	—	—	9	32.7	9	32.7
Truck, 1/4-ton M606	162	291.9	—	8	14.4	170	306.3
Truck, 1-ton	31	105.9	—	4	12.5	38	118.4
Truck, 2 1/2-ton, ABT	166	1206.1	—	168	1191.3	334	2,397.4
Truck, 5-ton, ABT	99	1703.5	—	133	1633.2	232	3,336.7
Pistol, .45-cal	206	5.6	11.7	206	5.6	412	11.2
Carbine, .30-cal	972	37.2	74.8	1286	45.2	2258	82.4
Rifle, BAR	387	21.5	56.9	120	12.1	507	33.6
Rifle, M1	752	26.3	70.7	1144	40.8	1896	67.1
Bayonets	3590	6.4	—	3590	6.4	7180	12.8
Machinegun, .30-cal	100	14.1	36.9	111	15.2	211	29.3
Grenade launchers, M7	209	0.8	—	889	105.4	1098	106.2
60-mm mortars	9	1.2	5.6	15	2.0	24	3.2
Rifle, 57-mm, M18A2	20	3.3	18.6	20	3.3	40	6.6
155-mm howitzer, towed	18	63.6	551.1	18	63.6	36	127.2
Mortar, 81-mm	—	—	—	9	1.7	9	1.7
Fire-control instruments	—	3.9	—	—	2.5	—	6.4
Weapon spare parts	—	10.1	—	—	0.9	—	11.0
Telephone and telegraph equipment	—	3.0	—	—	13.6	—	16.6
Radio equipment	—	293.2	—	—	501.2	—	794.4
Other communications equipment	—	19.9	—	—	1.8	—	21.7
Communication spare parts	—	6.3	—	—	—	—	6.3
Construction equipment	—	242.9	—	—	814.4	—	1057.3
Other photographic equipment	—	—	—	—	5.8	—	5.8
Other equipment (support)	—	220.7	—	—	191.9	—	412.6
Support engineer spare parts	—	3.8	—	—	—	—	3.8
Other textile and related supplies	—	330.1	—	—	—	—	330.1
General supplies	—	57.7	—	—	22.0	—	79.7
Medical supplies	—	19.8	—	—	—	—	19.8
Other industrial supplies	—	7.1	—	—	—	—	7.1
Electronic supplies	—	0.2	—	—	4.9	—	5.1
Chemical supplies	—	0.7	—	—	—	—	0.7
Construction-equipment parts	—	34.7	—	—	—	—	34.7
Other auto supplies	—	358.5	—	—	11.6	—	370.1
Total	—	7609.0	—	—	8406.0	—	16,015.0

<sup>a</sup>Ranger, airborne, armored, nondivisional-artillery, and combat-engineer units.

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**TABLE C9**  
**US Military Assistance Materiel Deliveries for RVN Army**  
**Combat-Support Units, FY66-FY67<sup>31,32</sup>**  
(In thousands of dollars)

Item	Jul 65-25 Mar 66			26 Mar 66-30 Jun 67		Total, FY66-FY67	
	Number	Funded cost	Original acquisition cost	Number	Funded cost	Number	Funded cost
Trailer, 25-ton	—	—	—	2	10.9	2	10.9
Trailers, 1½-ton, ABT	18	17.3	—	—	—	18	17.3
Truck, ½-ton, M606	112	201.8	—	12	22.2	124	224.0
Truck, 1-ton	31	96.6	—	1	3.1	32	99.7
Truck, 2½-ton, ABT	73	434.2	—	59	370.5	132	824.7
Truck, 5-ton, ABT	38	830.7	—	5	99.6	43	930.3
Pistol, .45-cal	14	0.4	0.8	16	0.4	30	0.8
Carbine, .30-cal	525	18.0	40.4	525	18.0	1050	36.0
Rifle, BAR	3	0.3	0.8	3	0.3	6	0.6
Rifle, M1	42	1.5	3.9	42	1.5	84	3.0
Bayonets	691	1.2	—	763	4.7	1454	5.9
Machinegun, .30-cal	6	0.8	2.2	6	0.8	12	1.6
Telephone and telegraph equipment	—	56.0	—	—	427.2	—	483.2
Radio equipment	—	110.4	—	—	401.8	—	512.2
Other communications equipment	—	5.6	—	—	327.4	—	333.0
Communication spare parts	—	—	—	—	0.2	—	0.2
Construction equipment	—	27.1	—	—	33.5	—	60.6
Other equipment (support)	—	332.0	—	—	342.4	—	674.4
Other materials-handling equipment	—	1.1	—	—	—	—	1.1
Other photo equipment	—	—	—	—	0.8	—	0.8
General supplies	—	36.9	—	—	23.8	—	60.7
Other industrial supplies	—	2.2	—	—	—	—	2.2
Construction supplies	—	305.9	—	—	7.9	—	313.8
Total	—	2500.0	—	—	2097.0	—	4597.0

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## US Military Assistance Materiel Deliveries for RVN Army Service Support and Command Units, FY66-FY67<sup>31,32</sup>

(In thousands of dollars)

Item	Jul 65-25 Mar 66			26 Mar 66-30 Jun 67		Total, FY66-FY67	
	Number	Funded cost	Original acquisition cost	Number	Funded cost	Number	Funded cost
Semitrailer, M118A1	35	171.9	—	66	331.7	101	503.6
Trailer, 25-ton	30	152.4	—	28	142.2	58	294.6
Boats	28	18.3	—	6	11.5	34	29.8
Trailers, 1 1/2-ton, ABT	81	68.7	—	34	28.8	115	97.5
Trailer, low bed, 8-ton	9	30.3	—	14	47.8	23	78.1
Truck, 1/4-ton, M606	139	250.5	—	93	172.1	232	422.6
Truck, 1-ton	26	81.0	—	17	46.7	43	127.7
Truck, 2 1/2-ton, ABT	323	2155.2	—	121	1602.4	444	3,757.6
Truck, 5-ton, ABT	70	1388.9	—	209	3782.1	279	5,171.0
Scooter (Lambretta)	7	4.0	—	—	—	7	4.0
Pistol, .45-cal	761	2.2	43.4	265	7.3	1,026	9.5
Revolver, .38-cal	70	4.1	—	70	4.1	140	8.2
Carbine, .30-cal	1069	40.0	82.3	1342	53.7	2,411	93.7
Rifle, BAR	67	6.8	17.8	72	7.3	139	14.1
Rifle, M1	3588	125.6	337.3	3803	134.4	7,391	260.0
Bayonets	5517	9.7	—	6783	12.8	12,300	22.5
Machinegun, .30-cal	63	8.9	23.2	181	23.6	244	32.5
Grenade launchers, M7	86	0.3	—	117	8.0	203	8.3
Mortar, 60-mm	—	—	—	8	1.1	8	1.1
Mortar, 81-mm	—	—	—	2	0.4	2	0.4
Fire-control instruments	—	—	—	—	9.1	—	9.1
Telephone and telegraph equipment	—	6.6	—	—	14.8	—	21.4
Radio equipment	—	94.6	—	—	141.6	—	236.2
Other communications equipment	—	32.4	—	—	83.3	—	115.7
Construction equipment	—	49.0	—	—	657.4	—	706.4
Other materiel-handling equipment	—	30.8	—	—	17.9	—	48.7
Other photographic equipment	—	274.2	—	—	465.4	—	739.6
Other support equipment	—	318.6	320.3	—	858.8	—	1,187.4
Support engineer spare parts	—	3.4	—	—	—	—	3.4
Hospital items	—	1.8	—	—	—	—	1.8
General supplies	—	137.6	—	—	70.0	—	207.6
Other industrial supplies	—	0.1	—	—	—	—	0.1
Construction-equipment parts	—	39.7	—	—	110.5	—	150.2
Other auto supplies	—	8.3	—	—	2.4	—	10.7
Total	—	5515.8	—	—	8859.2	—	14,375.1

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US Military Assistance Materiel Deliveries for RVN Army  
General-Support Activities, FY66-FY67<sup>1,2</sup>  
(In thousands of dollars)

Item	Jul 65-25 Mar 66			26 Mar 66-30 Jun 67		Total FY66-FY67	
	Number	Funded cost	Original acquisition cost	Number	Funded cost	Number	Funded cost
Semitrailer, M118A1	—	—	—	2	10.1	2	10.1
Trailer, 25-ton	—	—	—	117	675.5	117	675.5
Trailers, 1½-ton ABT	99	114.6	—	—	—	99	114.6
Trailer, low bed, 8-ton	—	—	—	7	25.9	7	25.9
Truck, ¾-ton, M606	257	463.1	—	1,394	2,612.4	1,651	3,075.5
Truck, 1-ton	193	601.2	—	443	1,381.6	636	1,982.8
Truck, 2¼-ton, ABT	411	2,566.4	—	172	1,056.6	583	3,623.0
Truck, 5-ton, ABT	88	1,856.2	—	49	652.8	137	2,509.0
Pistol, .45-cal and .38-cal	—	—	—	928	23.6	928	23.6
Carbine, .30-cal	2,300	96.6	177.1	7,282	345.7	9,582	442.3
Rifle, BAR	760	76.8	201.4	1,289	125.8	2,049	202.6
Rifle, M1	8,976	314.2	843.7	18,076	735.6	27,052	1,049.8
Bayonets	15,000	26.7	—	21,384	1,262.6	36,384	1,289.3
Machinegun, .30-cal	—	—	—	120	12.8	120	12.8
Grenade launchers, M7	651	23.0	—	1,252	177.8	1,903	200.8
Mortar, 60-mm	—	—	—	44	5.8	44	5.8
Rifle, 57-mm, M18A2	10	1.7	9.3	35	6.3	45	8.0
105-mm howitzer	14	29.2	242.6	6	24.8	20	54.0
155-mm howitzer, towed, M114A1	3	10.6	84.5	10	140.1	13	150.7
Mortar, 81-mm	—	—	—	28	5.5	28	5.5
Fire-control instruments	—	17.3	—	—	37.0	—	54.3
Weapon spare parts	—	1,125.4	—	—	741.8	—	1,867.2
Telephone and telegraph equipment	—	36.4	—	—	554.4	—	590.8
Radio equipment	—	446.3	—	—	2,217.4	—	2,663.7
Other communications equipment	—	25.8	—	—	397.8	—	423.6
Communication spare parts	—	416.0	—	—	2,258.7	—	2,674.7
Construction equipment	—	1,694.3	1721.9	—	1,376.7	—	3,071.0
Other photographic equipment	—	4.8	—	—	43.4	—	48.2
Other materials-handling equipment	—	79.0	—	—	268.0	—	347.0
Other support equipment	—	2,385.8	2394.8	—	9,707.3	—	12,093.1
Support engineer spare parts	—	82.3	335.6	—	8.8	—	91.1
General supplies	—	2,725.3	—	—	1,153.0	—	3,878.3
Other clothing and textiles	—	12,298.7	—	—	12,982.9	—	25,281.6
Hospital items	—	5,472.5	—	—	14,593.4	—	20,065.9
Electronics supplies	—	749.4	—	—	2.0	—	751.4
Repair and rehabilitation, other than weapons	—	17.7	—	—	0.2	—	17.9
Miscellaneous boats and crafts	419	116.1	160.7	—	—	419	116.1
Ship and marine equipment	—	4.9	—	—	—	—	4.9
Ship spare parts	—	2.8	—	—	—	—	2.8
Car, personnel, armored, M113	32	655.6	—	52	878.3	84	1,533.9
Tank, light, M41A3	2	140.7	—	—	—	2	140.7
Other industrial supplies	—	794.5	804.2	—	262.8	—	1,057.3
Chemical	—	3,160.2	—	—	620.6	—	3,780.8
Construction-equipment parts	—	815.6	931.4	—	1,907.8	—	2,723.4
Other auto supplies	—	4,291.7	4321.9	—	3,177.1	—	7,468.8
Sugar, food oil, etc	—	166.6	—	—	—	—	166.6
Total	—	43,906.0	—	—	62,470.7	—	106,376.7

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**US Military Assistance Materiel Deliveries for RVN Army  
Intelligence Units and Activities, FY66-FY67<sup>1,2</sup>**

(In thousands of dollars)

Item	Jul 65-25 Mar 66		26 Mar 66-30 Jun 67		Total, FY66-FY67	
	Number	Funded cost	Number	Funded cost	Number	Funded cost
Trailers, 2 1/2-ton, ABT	—	—	1	0.8	1	0.8
Truck, 1/2-ton, M606	25	45.1	38	71.2	63	116.3
Truck, 2 1/2-ton, ABT	3	18.4	1	6.0	4	24.4
Truck, 5-ton, ABT	1	12.1	—	—	1	12.1
Pistol, .45-cal	2	0.1	111	3.0	113	3.1
Carbine, .30-cal	—	—	10	0.5	10	0.5
Machinegun, .30-cal	—	—	65	110.2	65	110.2
Grenade launcher	—	—	328	81.0	328	81.0
Telephone and telegraph equipment	—	—	—	0.2	—	0.2
Radio equipment	—	24.8	—	91.1	—	115.9
Other communication equipment	—	13.9	—	27.7	—	41.6
Other photographic equipment	—	1.0	—	8.7	—	9.7
Other equipment	—	8.8	—	13.1	—	21.9
General supplies	—	2.0	—	3.0	—	5.0
Construction-equipment parts	—	6.8	—	6.4	—	13.2
Electronic supplies	—	—	—	7.9	—	7.9
Total	—	133.0	—	430.8	—	563.8

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TABLE C13  
RVN Army Weapons Inventory on Various Dates, 1964-1967<sup>a</sup>

Weapon	30 Jun 64			30 Jun 65			30 Jun 67		
	In units	Density per 1000 assigned strength	Depot stocks <sup>b</sup>	In units	Density per 1000 assigned strength	Depot stocks <sup>b</sup>	In units	Density per 1000 assigned strength	Depot stocks <sup>b</sup>
Small arms, total	232,197	1202.5	148,088	256,555	1096.7	100,215	275,159	959.6	222,560
Pistols <sup>c</sup>	15,385	79.7	6,448	16,586	70.8	2,424	20,745	72.3	4,692
Carbines <sup>d</sup>	97,237	503.6	76,150	117,279	501.2	29,237	132,227	461.2	90,100
Rifles <sup>e</sup>	82,984	429.7	15,064	85,562	365.5	6,435	87,083	303.6	33,105
Shot,	2,009	10.4	43,703	1,423	6.1	46,398	738	2.6	73,879
Submachineguns <sup>f</sup>	23,907	123.8	4,203	23,961	102.8	9,466	21,439	74.8	17,879
Automatic rifles (BAR)	10,675	55.3	2,520	11,744	50.2	6,255	12,927	45.1	2,905
Machineguns, total	3,944	20.4	942	4,585	19.6	3,992	5,320	18.5	2,209
.30-cal <sup>g</sup>	3,028	15.7	519	3,780	16.1	3,556	4,573	15.9	2,020
.50-cal, M2	916	4.7	423	804	3.4	436	747	2.6	189
Rocket launchers, 3.5-in.	520	2.7	1,475	909	3.9	1,075	674	2.4	1,305
Grenade launchers <sup>h</sup>	12,710	65.8	3,395	14,575	62.2	3,744	10,573	36.9	4,586
Launchers, M79	897	4.6	22	2,457	10.6	2,245	5,192	18.1	642
Mortars, total	2,448	12.7	854	1,827	7.8	1,120	2,417	8.5	979
60-mm	1,339	6.9	594	1,089	4.7	78	1,569	5.5	705
81-mm	883	4.6	217	667	2.8	330	697	2.5	187
4.2-mm	226	1.2	43	71	0.3	202	151	0.5	87
Division slice,									
Cannon									
37-mm	92	10.2	6	88	9.8	11	86	8.6	11
57-mm	543	60.3	46	552	61.3	93	807	80.7	94
75-mm	118	13.1	50	112	12.4	149	140	14.0	134
105-mm howitzer	223	24.8	9	329	36.6	24	385	38.5	17
155-mm howitzer	65	7.2	1	99	11.0	1	114	11.4	16

<sup>a</sup>Based on Refs 29, 30, and 37 and Table C4.

<sup>b</sup>Depot stocks include items awaiting issue or repair for all RVN armed forces but exclude holdings of known obsolete weapons.

<sup>c</sup>Over 93 percent M1911A1 in units.

<sup>d</sup>Over 80 percent M1 in units.

<sup>e</sup>Over 90 percent .30-cal M1 in units.

<sup>f</sup>Over 95 percent Thompson .45-cal M1A1 in units.

<sup>g</sup>Almost all M1919 series.

<sup>h</sup>Over 98 percent M7.

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RVN Army Vehicle Inventory on Various Dates, 1964-1967<sup>39-42</sup>

Vehicle	30 Jun 64				30 Jun 65				30 Jun 66				30 Jun 67			
	In units	Density per 1000 assigned strength	Depot stock <sup>a</sup>	In units	Density per 1000 assigned strength	Depot stock <sup>a</sup>	In units	Density per 1000 assigned strength	In units	Density per 1000 assigned strength	Depot stock <sup>a</sup>	In units	Density per 1000 assigned strength	In units	Density per 1000 assigned strength	Depot stock <sup>a</sup>
Combat vehicles, total	507	2.6	464	496	2.1	561	654	2.4	430	2.4	430	760	2.6	760	2.6	256
Light tank, M24	102	0.5	20	55	0.2	43	30	0.1	48	0.1	48	32	0.1	32	0.1	9
Tank, M41	—	—	—	43	0.2	52	95	0.3	18	0.3	18	99	0.3	99	0.3	5
Cadillac, gage V-100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	67	0.2	68	0.2	6
APC, M113	192	1.0	23	245	1.0	117	404	1.5	29	1.5	29	409	1.4	409	1.4	34
Miscellaneous <sup>b</sup>	213	1.1	421	153	0.7	349	125	0.5	268	0.5	268	152	0.5	152	0.5	202
Noncombat vehicles, total	16,837	87.2	1746	17,438	74.5	2089	20,256	73.3	4195	73.3	4195	24,409	85.1	24,409	85.1	1909
Truck, 1/4-ton	5,795	30.0	437	6,144	26.2	377	7,182	26.0	487	26.0	487	8,993	31.4	8,993	31.4	962
Truck, 1/2-ton ambulance	389	2.0	25	376	1.6	34	370	1.3	33	1.3	33	370	1.3	370	1.3	16
Truck, 3/4-ton	3,470	18.0	401	3,438	14.7	415	3,199	11.6	517	11.6	517	3,207	11.2	3,207	11.2	171
Truck, 1-1 1/2-ton	3	—	2	14	0.1	57	1,058	3.8	382	3.8	382	1,618	5.6	1,618	5.6	110
Truck, cargo, 2-3 1/2-ton	5,082	26.3	561	5,189	22.2	464	5,791	20.9	1467	20.9	1467	6,927	24.2	6,927	24.2	434
Truck, dump, 2 1/2-ton	1,181	6.1	112	1,180	5.0	108	1,263	4.6	162	4.6	162	1,489	5.2	1,489	5.2	105
Truck, shop, van, 2 1/2-ton	310	1.6	41	229	1.0	129	262	0.9	113	0.9	113	361	1.3	361	1.3	12
Truck, water, 2 1/2-ton	12	0.1	1	9	—	2	14	0.1	49	0.1	49	56	0.2	56	0.2	3
Truck, gasoline	20	0.1	6	65	0.3	29	82	0.3	20	0.3	20	88	0.3	88	0.3	6
Truck, cargo, 4-10-ton	118	0.6	40	190	0.8	72	216	0.8	58	0.8	58	227	0.8	227	0.8	3
Truck, tractor, 4-7 1/2-ton	150	0.8	83	301	1.3	289	428	1.5	186	1.5	186	556	1.9	556	1.9	34
Truck, wrecker, 2 1/2-6-ton	118	0.6	16	115	0.5	16	192	0.7	290	0.7	290	329	1.1	329	1.1	37
Truck, crane	3	—	5	2	—	6	1	—	7	—	7	1	—	1	—	5
Sedans	186	1.0	16	186	0.8	11	199	0.7	14	0.7	14	187	0.6	187	0.6	11
Trailers, total	6,266	32.4	1222	6,056	25.9	911	6,009	21.7	1756	21.7	1756	7,174	25.0	7,174	25.0	423
Trailer, 1/2-ton	2,246	11.6	313	2,190	9.4	302	2,167	7.8	275	7.8	275	2,277	7.9	2,277	7.9	36
Trailer, 1-1 1/2-ton	2,745	14.2	586	2,672	11.4	294	2,599	9.4	946	9.4	946	3,287	11.5	3,287	11.5	274
Trailer, water, 1-1 1/2-ton	838	4.3	67	821	3.5	16	810	2.9	223	2.9	223	950	3.3	950	3.3	53
Trailers, other	437	2.3	256	373	1.6	299	431	1.6	312	1.6	312	660	2.3	660	2.3	60

<sup>a</sup>Depot stocks include items awaiting issue or repair for all RVN armed forces but exclude holdings of known obsolete vehicles.

<sup>b</sup>Mixture of scout cars and armored weapons carriers.

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TABLE C15  
RVN Army Inventory of Selected Signal Items,  
30 Jun 66 and 30 Jun 67<sup>27,43</sup>

Item	30 Jun 66		30 Jun 67	
	RVN Army units	Depot stocks	RVN Army units	Depot stocks
Small unit radios, total				
AN GRC 5, 12 volt	717	50	818	64
AN PRC 6	6141	410	6070	1364
AN PRC 9	700	33	827	126
AN PRC 10	9343	923	8283	646
AN PRC 25	0	—	878	80
AN GRC 87	1339	38	1736	81
AN VRC 9	255	18	322	3
AN VRC 17	147	23	168	12
AN VRC 34	884	8	987	90
Other radios				
SCR 193	264	11	371	35
Radio telephone and telegraph equipment				
AN TCC 3	166	3	206	1
AN TCC 14	205	8	217	11
AN TCC 20	160	54	172	55
Radio relay equipment				
AN TRC 3	208	1	198	10
AN TRC 4	106	0	106	0
AN TRC 7	95	11	36	17
AN TRC 24	2	0	2	0
AN TRC 25	21	0	34	1
AN TRC 36	26	1	29	1
Switchboards				
SB 22 GT	873	53	868	10
SB 993 GT	1026	44	1136	150
Telephones				
EE 8 telephone	4193	2757	3394	3868
TA 43 PT	3964	130	4038	146
TA 236 PT	4059	1319	3993	2376
Wire equipment				
CE 11	3353	420	3223	660

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TABLE C16  
US Army Ammunition Deliveries for RVN Army, FY65  
(Quantities and dollars in thousands)

Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution		Total	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G10	AMMUNITION UP TO 75 MM & GRENADES	--	12,647.3	--	7,979.0	--	--	--	20,626.3
G1A	22 Caliber	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G1A	5.56 Caliber	1,352.0	101.5	--	--	--	--	1,352.0	101.5
G1B	30 Caliber	84,459.2	6,212.8	16,298.7	1,414.9	--	--	100,757.9	8,177.7
G1B	30 Caliber Carb	--	--	57,477.1	2,536.6	--	--	57,477.1	2,536.6
G1D	38 Caliber	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G1E	45 Caliber	18,898.1	1,133.9	--	--	--	--	18,898.1	1,133.9
G1F	50 Caliber	--	--	312.6	96.9	--	--	312.6	96.9
G1K	40 MM	616.4	4,078.0	--	--	--	--	616.4	4,078.0
G1L	57 MM	--	--	50.8	338.9	--	--	50.8	338.9
G1M	60 MM Mortar	52.1	491.7	351.6	1,843.7	--	--	403.7	2,335.4
G1N	Shotgun	59.2	6.5	25.4	2.8	--	--	84.6	9.3
G1P	Grenades Hand	106.5	158.7	645.6	903.5	--	--	752.1	1,062.2
	Grenades Other	137.7	464.2	230.0	291.7	--	--	367.7	755.9
G20	AMMUNITION 75 MM AND OVER	--	14,222.7	--	28,834.6	--	--	--	43,058.3
G2A	75 MM	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G2B	76 MM	45.9	1,342.8	28.0	617.5	--	--	73.9	1,960.3
G2C	81 MM Mortar	64.7	1,210.3	3.3	23.1	--	--	68.0	1,235.4
G2E	105 MM	78.0	2,894.5	1,227.8	25,501.2	--	--	1,305.8	28,395.7
G2F	106 MM	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G2G	4.2 Inch Mortar	37.1	853.1	--	--	--	--	37.1	853.1
G2M	155 MM	274.1	6,857.2	--	--	--	--	274.1	6,857.2
G2M	Chg Prop 155	89.3	1,124.8	216.8	2,691.8	--	--	306.1	3,816.6

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G50	LAND MINES AND EXPLOSIVES	423.2	93.9	62.5	40.4	--	485.7	134.3
G3A	Anti-Personnel Mines							
G3C	Demolition Kits							
G3Z	Other Explosives							
G50	BOMBS AND ROCKETS							
G5S	3.5 Inch Rockets							
G5Z	Other Rockets							
G60	PYROTECHNIC AND CHEMICAL MUNITIONS	--	414.2	--	51.9	--	--	466.1
G6A	Chemical Munitions	--	136.8	--	11.4	--	--	148.2
G6B	Pyrotechnics	--	277.4	--	40.5	--	--	317.9
G70	OTHER AMMUNITION	--	6,692.2	--	3,052.2	--	--	9,744.4
G7B	Fuses and Primers	--	6,679.2	--	3,052.2	--	--	9,731.4
G7C	Ammunition Containers	8.0	13.0	--	--	--	8.0	13.0
G7D	Miscellaneous Other Ammunition	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
TOTALS			34,070.3		39,959.1			74,029.4

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TABLE C17  
US Army Ammunition Deliveries for RVN Army, FY66  
(Quantities and dollars in thousands)

Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution		Total	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G10	AMMUNITION UP TO 75 MM & GRENADES	--	18,977.5	--	4,164.1	--	588.0	--	23,729.6
G1A	22 Caliber	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G1A	5.56 Caliber	644.4	47.4	--	--	--	--	644.4	47.4
G1B	30 Caliber	117,638.3	8,314.7	9,478.6	1,173.7	--	--	127,116.9	9,488.4
G1B	30 Caliber Carb	20,331.0	813.2	39,024.9	1,662.6	--	--	59,355.9	2,475.8
G1D	38 Caliber	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G1E	45 Caliber	29,582.4	1,747.6	--	--	--	--	29,582.4	1,747.6
G1F	50 Caliber	--	--	1,550.3	480.6	--	--	1,550.3	480.6
G1K	40 MM	534.4	2,931.3	--	--	--	--	534.4	2,931.3
G1L	57 MM	--	--	102.7	685.7	--	--	102.7	685.7
G1L	60 MM Mortar	685.8	4,019.3	11.0	50.4	82.0	582.2	778.8	4,661.9
G1M	Shotgun	--	--	45.1	5.0	--	--	45.1	5.0
G1P	Grenades Hand Frag	96.2	227.1	--	--	--	--	96.2	227.1
G1P	Grenades Other	503.6	876.9	33.9	106.1	1.1	5.8	538.6	988.8
G20	AMMUNITION 75 MM & AND OVER	--	70,520.5	--	11,934.0	--	793.4	--	83,247.9
G2A	75 MM	--	--	13.3	196.9	--	--	13.3	196.9
G2B	76 MM	30.1	756.0	4.7	101.3	--	--	34.8	857.3
G2C	81 MM Mortar	544.3	5,822.4	4.6	34.8	26.5	663.3	575.4	6,520.5
G2E	105 MM	2,066.8	46,939.9	176.7	4,974.6	4.5	130.1	2,248.0	52,044.6
G2F	106 MM	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G2G	4.2 Inch Mortar	108.5	2,260.8	--	--	--	--	108.5	2,260.8
G2H	155 MM	528.6	14,098.8	--	--	--	--	528.6	14,098.8
G2H	Csg Prop 155	50.5	642.6	533.1	6,626.4	--	--	583.6	7,269.0

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G30	LAND MINES AND EXPLOSIVES	441.8	209.8	240.4	192.4	--	--	682.2	402.2
G3A	Anti-Personnel Mines	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G3C	Demolition Kits	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G3Z	Other Explosives	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G50	BOMBS AND ROCKETS	--	--	--	7.3	--	--	--	7.3
G5S	3.5 Inch Rockets	--	--	.5	7.3	--	--	.5	7.3
G5Z	Other Rockets	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G60	PYROTECHNIC AND CHEMICAL MUNITIONS	--	1,732.2	--	48.7	--	--	--	1,780.9
G6A	Chemical Munitions	--	89.8	--	7.8	--	--	--	97.6
G6B	Pyrotechnics	--	1,642.4	--	40.9	--	--	--	1,683.3
G70	OTHER AMMUNITION	--	14,876.0	--	3,970.6	--	--	--	18,846.6
G7B	Fuzes and Primers	--	14,874.9	--	3,970.6	--	--	--	18,845.5
G7C	Ammunition Containers	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G7D	Miscellaneous Other Ammunition	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
			1.1	--	--	--	--	--	1.1
TOTALS			106,316.0	--	20,317.1	--	1,381.4	--	128,014.5

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TABLE C18  
US Army Ammunition Deliveries for RVN Army, FY67  
(Quantities and dollars in thousands)

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Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution		Total	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G10	AMMUNITION UP TO 75 MM & GRENADES	--	18,536.1	--	1,584.1	--	2,768.9	--	22,889.1
G1A	22 Caliber	260.0	2.6	--	--	--	--	260.0	2.6
G1A	5.56 Caliber	13,987.6	1,004.2	--	--	--	--	13,987.6	1,004.2
G1B	30 Caliber	95,199.4	7,809.3	235.9	27.0	17,330.5	1,469.2	112,765.8	9,305.5
G1B	30 Caliber Carb	40,984.9	1,978.2	510.4	30.6	--	--	41,495.3	2,008.8
G1D	38 Caliber	380.0	22.8	--	--	--	--	380.0	22.8
G1E	45 Caliber	14,500.7	746.2	--	--	--	--	14,500.7	746.2
G1F	50 Caliber	277.3	111.3	3,332.2	1,033.0	--	--	3,609.5	1,144.3
G1K	40 MM	657.5	2,810.6	--	--	--	--	657.5	2,810.6
G1L	57 MM	24.0	239.7	72.0	461.6	6.8	45.7	102.8	747.0
G1M	60 MM Mortar	84.0	1,072.3	28.0	2.3	157.3	1,216.5	269.3	2,291.1
G1N	Shotgun	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G1P	Grenades Hand Frag	780.2	1,836.4	--	--	18.4	31.3	798.6	1,867.7
	Grenades Other	341.6	902.5	42.6	29.6	8.0	6.2	392.2	938.3
G20	AMMUNITION 75 MM AND OVER	--	46,501.9	--	785.7	--	273.9	--	47,561.5
G2A	75 MM	--	--	2.5	36.5	--	--	2.5	36.5
G2B	76 MM	8.6	444.2	.8	19.1	--	--	9.4	463.3
G2C	81 MM Mortar	165.9	2,630.1	7.8	58.4	14.0	167.1	187.7	2,855.6
G2E	105 MM	1,107.4	27,116.8	1.6	81.0	3.5	106.8	1,112.5	27,304.6
G2F	106 MM	6.6	323.7	--	--	--	--	6.6	323.7
G2G	4.2 Inch Mortar	115.2	3,480.3	--	--	--	--	115.2	3,480.3
G2M	155 MM	260.5	9,257.9	--	--	--	--	260.5	9,257.9
G2M	Chg Prop 155	261.5	3,248.9	47.5	590.7	--	--	309.0	3,839.6

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350	LAND MINES AND EXPLOSIVES	476.6	1,129.4	12.0	12.1	--	488.6	1,141.5
G3A	Anti-Personnel Mines	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G3C	Demolition Kits	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G3Z	Other Explosives	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G50	BOMBS AND ROCKETS	--	295.8	--	301.2	--	--	597.0
G5S	3.5 Inch Rockets	--	--	24.0	301.2	--	24.0	301.2
G5Z	Other Rockets	--	295.8	--	--	--	.4	295.8
G60	PYROTECHNIC AND CHEMICAL MUNITIONS	--	1,119.4	--	35.3	--	--	1,154.7
G6A	Chemical Munitions	--	45.8	--	28.1	--	--	73.9
G6B	Pyrotechnics	--	1,073.6	--	7.2	--	--	1,080.8
G70	OTHER AMMUNITION	--	15,849.6	--	--	--	--	15,849.6
G7B	Fuzes and Primers	--	15,849.6	--	--	--	--	15,849.6
G7C	Ammunition Containers	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G7D	Miscellaneous Other Ammunition	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
TOTALS		83,432.2	2,718.4	3,042.8	89,193.4			

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(C) TABLE C19  
US Army Ammunition Deliveries for RVN Army, FY65-FY67  
(Quantities and dollars in thousands)

Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution		Total	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G10	AMMUNITION UP TO 75 MM & GRENADES		50,160.9		13,727.2		3,356.9	--	67,245.0
G1A	22 Caliber	260.0	2.6	--	--	--	--	260.0	2.6
G1B	5.56 Caliber	15,984.0	1,153.1	--	--	--	--	15,984.0	1,153.1
G1B	30 Caliber	297,286.0	22,336.8	26,013.2	3,135.6	17,330.5	1,469.2	340,640.0	26,971.6
G1B	30 Caliber Carb	61,315.9	2,791.4	97,012.4	4,229.8	--	--	158,328.3	7,021.2
G1D	38 Caliber	380.0	22.8	--	--	--	--	380.0	22.8
G1E	45 Caliber	62,981.2	3,627.7	--	--	--	--	62,981.2	3,627.7
G1F	50 Caliber	277.3	111.3	5,195.1	1,610.5	--	--	5,472.4	1,721.8
G1K	40 MM	1,808.3	9,819.9	--	--	--	--	1,808.3	9,819.9
G1L	57 MM	24.0	239.7	225.5	1,486.2	6.8	45.7	256.3	1,771.6
G1M	60 MM Mortar	821.9	5,583.3	390.8	1,896.4	239.3	1,798.7	1,452.0	9,278.4
G1N	Shotgun	59.2	6.5	70.5	7.8	--	--	129.7	14.3
G1P	Grenades Hand	982.9	2,222.2	645.6	923.5	18.4	31.3	1,646.9	3,157.0
G1P	Grenades Other	982.9	2,243.6	306.5	427.4	8.1	12.0	1,297.5	2,683.0
G20	AMMUNITION 75 MM AND OVER		131,245.1		41,555.3		1,067.3	--	173,867.7
G2A	75 MM	--	--	15.8	233.4	--	--	15.8	233.4
G2B	76 MM	84.6	2,543.0	33.5	737.9	--	--	118.1	3,280.9
G2C	81 MM Mortar	774.9	9,662.8	15.7	118.3	40.5	830.4	831.1	10,611.5
G2E	105 MM	3,252.2	75,911.2	1,406.1	30,556.8	8.0	236.9	4,666.3	107,704.9
G2F	106 MM	6.6	323.7	--	--	--	--	6.6	323.7
G2G	4.2 Inch Mortar	260.8	6,594.2	--	--	--	--	260.8	6,594.2
G2M	155 MM	1,063.2	30,193.9	--	--	--	--	1,063.2	30,193.9
G2M	Chg Prop 155	401.3	5,610.3	797.4	9,908.9	--	--	1,198.7	14,425.2

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G30	LAND MINES AND EXPLOSIVES	1,341.6	1,433.1	314.9	244.9	--	--	1,656.5	1,678.0
G3A	Anti-Personnel Mines	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G3C	Demolition Kits	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G3Z	Other Explosives	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	604.3
G50	BOMBS AND ROCKETS	--	295.8	--	308.5	--	--	--	308.5
G5S	3.5 Inch Rockets	--	--	24.5	308.5	--	--	24.5	295.8
G5Z	Other Rockets	--	295.8	--	--	--	--	--	--
G60	PYROTECHNIC AND CHEMICAL MUNITIONS	--	3,265.8	--	135.9	--	--	--	3,401.7
G6A	Chemical Munitions	--	272.4	--	47.3	--	--	--	319.7
G6B	Pyrotechnics	--	2,993.4	--	88.6	--	--	--	3,082.0
G70	OTHER AMMUNITION	--	37,417.8	--	7,022.8	--	--	--	44,440.6
G7B	Fuzes and Primers	--	37,403.7	--	7,022.8	--	--	--	44,426.5
G7C	Ammunition Containers	--	13.0	--	--	--	--	8.0	13.0
G7D	Miscellaneous Other Ammunition	--	1.1	--	--	--	--	--	1.1
TOTALS			223,818.5		62,994.6		4,424.2		291,237.3

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(C) TABLE C20  
Factors Based on Total Ammunition Deliveries for the RVN Army, FY65-FY67

Item	FY65			FY66			FY67			FY65-FY67		
	Number per capita <sup>a</sup>	Cost per capita	Percent of total	Number per capita <sup>a</sup>	Cost per capita	Percent of total	Number per capita <sup>a</sup>	Cost per capita	Percent of total	Number per capita <sup>a</sup>	Cost per capita	Percent of total
Small arms, total <sup>b</sup>	853	56	16.2	819	54	11.2	661	51	16.0	763	53	13.9
.30-cal	469	38	11.0	477	36	7.4	399	33	10.4	446	35	9.3
.30-cal carbine	268	12	3.4	223	9	1.9	147	7	2.3	207	9	2.4
Grenades <sup>c</sup>	5	8	2.5	2	5	0.9	4	10	3.1	4	8	2.0
40-mm grenade launchers	3	19	5.5	2	11	2.3	2	10	3.2	2	13	3.4
Mortars, 60- and 81-mm	2	17	4.9	5	42	8.7	2	18	5.8	3	26	6.8
Artillery <sup>d</sup>	7	222	65.8	10	346	72.1	5	199	63.1	7	258	67.8
105-mm	6	132	38.3	8	195	40.7	4	97	30.6	6	141	37.0
155-mm	1 <sup>e</sup>	50	14.4	2	80	16.7	1	46	14.7	1	59	15.5
Fuzes and primers	—	45	13.1	—	71	14.7	—	56	17.8	—	58	15.3
Other	—	18	5.1	—	23	4.8	—	28	8.8	—	23	6.1
Total	—	345	100.0	—	481	100.0	—	316	100.0	—	381	100.0

<sup>a</sup>Based on assigned strength.  
<sup>b</sup>Includes .22, 5.56-mm, .30, .30-cal carbine, .38, .45, and .50 cal.  
<sup>c</sup>Includes all of generic code GIP, see Ref 22.  
<sup>d</sup>Includes only subitems listed.  
<sup>e</sup>Does not include propelling charges identified separately.

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TABLE C21  
Estimated RVN Army Materiel Costs Funded by the RVN Defense Budget,  
(In thousands of dollars)

Budget chapter	Description	FY65				FY66				Total cost
		Total cost	US support	RVN funds	US support, % of total	Total cost	US support	RVN funds	US support, % of total	
6	Transportation	4549.2	3239.7	1309.5	71.2	5345.2	2897.7	2447.5	54.2	5049.2
9	Ordnance	4614.5	2098.0	2516.5	45.5	4754.1	610.6	4143.5	12.8	4938.1
11	Engineer - Supply & Maintenance	3544.7	1367.9	2176.8	38.6	4979.5	1109.5	3870.0	22.3	5145.7
12	Quartermaster	14142.1	8444.9	5697.2	59.7	21015.7	9363.3	11652.4	44.6	30887.6
13	Medical	1775.6	604.1	1171.5	34.0	2899.5	413.0	2486.5	14.2	3364.0
10	Signal	1244.4	324.2	920.2	26.1	1384.3	273.0	1111.3	19.7	1519.3
	Total	29870.5	16708.8	13791.7	53.9	40378.3	14667.1	25711.2	36.4	50903.9
	Average Annual per Capita Cost <sup>b</sup>	139.0	75.0	64.0		152.0	55.0	97.0		180.0

<sup>a</sup>Based on Table C37

<sup>b</sup>Based on assigned RVN Army strength and shown to nearest absolute dollar.

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TABLE C21  
 Funded by the RVN Defense Budget, FY65-FY67<sup>a</sup>  
 (Thousands of dollars)

66		FY67				FY65-FY67			
RVN funds	US support, % of total	Total cost	US support	RVN funds	US support, % of total	Total cost	US support	RVN funds	US support, % of total
2447.5	54.2	5049.2	2696.1	2353.1	53.4	14943.6	8833.5	6110.1	59.1
1143.5	12.8	4938.1	622.4	4315.7	12.6	14306.7	3331.0	10975.7	23.3
3870.0	22.3	5145.7	570.6	4575.1	11.1	13669.9	3048.0	10621.9	22.3
11652.4	44.6	30887.6	13882.5	16005.1	48.2	66045.4	32690.7	33354.7	49.5
2486.5	14.2	3364.0	180.9	3183.1	5.4	8039.1	1198.0	6841.1	14.9
1111.3	19.7	1519.3	392.6	1126.7	25.8	4148.0	989.8	3158.2	23.9
25211.2	36.4	50903.9	14345.1	31558.8	38.1	121152.7	50091.0	71061.7	41.4
97.0		180.0	69.0	111.0		159.0	66.0	93.0	

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### Maintenance of Materiel

(U) There are few data on maintenance, separate from materiel. The available data cover foreign technicians funded by the defense budget and US military assistance programs. US military assistance program support for foreign technicians was ended after FY65. Table shows the available data on costs of foreign maintenance technicians.

(C) TABLE C22  
Estimated Costs of Foreign Maintenance Technicians,  
FY65-FY67  
(In thousands of dollars)

Source	FY65	FY66	FY67	Total
RVN defense budget <sup>a</sup>	36.5	45.0	80.3	161.8
US support	36.5	45.0	80.3	161.8
RVN funds	0	0	0	0
US military assistance programs <sup>16</sup>	648.2	0	0	648.2
Total	684.7	45.0	80.3	810.0

<sup>a</sup>Based on Table C38.

### CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF FACILITIES

(U) Table C23 shows the total estimated expenditures for construction and maintenance of facilities for the RVN Army, including sources, average annual per capita costs, and percentage by major category.

(U) Tables C24 and C25 show construction expenditures funded by US military assistance and RVN defense budget respectively in support of the RVN Army. The data in these tables are based on information furnished by HQ US Army, Vietnam, Engineer Advisory Division, which is considered to be the most authoritative on construction in support of RVN forces.

(U) Table C26 shows the data in Table C25 converted to a fiscal year basis and the extent of US budget support. No data are available to show US support by project. It is estimated that the overall US budget support for construction was 98 percent in 1964, 66 percent in 1965, and 50 percent in 1966 and 1967.<sup>17</sup> These percentages were applied to all projects in preparing Table C26.

### TRAINING

(U) Reference 15 contains an overall review and assessment of the RVN Army training system and situation.

(U) Table C27 shows the estimated total expenditures for training of the RVN Army to include sources, average annual per capita costs, and distribution by major category and relation of numbers of offshore trainees to assigned RVN strengths.

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(C) **TABLE C23**  
**Estimated Total Cost of Construction and Maintenance of Facilities for the RVN Army, FY65-FY67**  
 (in thousands of dollars except per capita costs, which are in dollars)

Item	FY65			FY66			FY67			FY65-FY67			Percent of total cost	US support % of total	RVN funds, % of total
	Total cost	US support	RVN funds	Total cost	US support	RVN funds	Total cost	US support	RVN funds	Total cost	US support	RVN funds			
Construction Total	5340	4299	1041	13149	10762	2387	18628	14861	3767	37117	29822	7195	53.5	60.6	19.4
Canteenments	1109	881	228	4600	3909	791	12472	10940	1532	18181	15630	2551	26.2	86.0	14.0
Medical Facilities	1222	1210	12	1841	1603	238	2302	1499	803	5365	4312	1053	7.7	80.4	19.6
Intelligence & Interrogation Centers	--	--	--	3090	3098	--	746	746	--	3844	3844	--	5.5	100.0	--
POW Camps	--	--	--	726	363	363	1415	708	707	2141	1071	1070	3.2	50.0	50.0
Service Support Facilities	2550	1793	757	2374	1611	763	309	154	155	5233	3558	1675	7.5	68.0	32.0
Permanent Defensive Works	--	--	--	203	102	101	679	340	339	882	442	440	1.3	50.0	50.0
Training Facilities	459	415	44	307	176	131	705	474	231	1471	1065	406	2.1	72.4	27.6
Maintenance Total	11064	3099	7965	10505	3399	7106	10735	3164	7571	32304	9662	22642	46.5	29.9	70.1
Total	16404	7398	9006	23654	14161	9493	29363	18025	11338	69421	39584	29837	100.0	57.0	43.0
Total (less training facilities)	15945	6983	8962	23347	13985	9362	28658	17551	11107	67950	38519	29431		56.7	43.3
US Percent Total (less training facilities)		43.8			59.9			61.2			56.7				
Average Annual Per Capita Cost (assigned strength)	74.3	32.5	41.7	87.6	52.5	35.1	101.4	62.1	39.3	88.9	50.4	38.5			

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TABLE C24

Construction for the RVN Army, Supported by US  
Military Assistance, FY65-FY67<sup>17</sup>  
(In thousands of dollars)

Item	FY65	FY66	FY67	Total
Telephone exchange	187	—	—	187
Hospitals	1123	1352	695	3,170
Training centers	192	—	243	435
Interrogation centers	—	997	746	1,743
Intelligence centers	—	2101	—	2,101
Cantonments	—	2770	9,408	13,178
Total	1502	7220	11,092	19,814

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TABLE C25

Estimated Construction Costs for the RVN Army  
Funded by the RVN Defense Budget, CY64-CY67<sup>17</sup>  
(In thousands of dollars)

Item	1964	1965	1966	1967
Cantonments	380	608	1032	1592
Additional facilities for cantonments	468	762	1258	2246
Hospitals	128	70	876	2208
Territorial medical centers	—	—	—	98
Morgues	—	—	32	—
Ammunition depots	—	—	—	18
POL storage	—	—	22	—
Prefab buildings	—	4726	—	—
POW camps	—	—	1452	1378
Permanent defensive works	—	—	406	952
HQ facilities	—	—	—	78
Recruiting and induction centers	—	—	—	500
Training facilities	280	254	360	564
Total	1256	6420	5438	9634
Total, less training facilities	976	6166	5078	9070

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TABLE C26  
Estimated Support by the RVN Defense Budget of Construction and  
Maintenance of Facilities for RVN Army, FY65-FY67  
(In thousands of dollars)

Item	FY65			FY66			FY67			FY65-FY67		
	Total	US support	RVN funds	Total	US support	RVN funds	Total	US support	RVN funds	Total	US support	RVN funds
Construction, total	3,838	2,797	1,041	5,929	3,542	2,387	7,536	3,769	3,767	17,303	10,108	7,195
Canteenments	494	293	101	820	465	355	1,312	656	656	2,626	1,514	1,112
Additional facilities for canteenments	615	488	127	1,010	574	436	1,752	876	876	3,377	1,938	1,439
Hospitals	99	87	12	473	243	230	1,542	771	771	2,114	1,101	1,013
Territorial medical centers	—	—	—	—	—	—	49	25	24	49	25	24
Morgues	—	—	—	16	8	8	16	8	8	32	16	16
Ammunition depots	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	4	5	9	4	5
POL storage	—	—	—	11	5	6	11	6	5	22	11	11
Prefab buildings	2,363	1,606	757	2,363	1,606	757	—	—	—	4,726	3,212	1,514
POW camps	—	—	—	726	363	363	1,415	708	707	2,141	1,071	1,070
Permanent defensive works	—	—	—	203	102	101	679	340	339	882	442	440
HQ facilities	—	—	—	—	—	—	39	19	20	39	19	20
Recruiting and induction centers	—	—	—	—	—	—	250	125	125	250	125	125
Training facilities	267	223	44	307	176	131	462	231	231	1,036	630	406
Maintenance, total <sup>a</sup>	11,064	3,099	7,965	10,505	3,399	7,106	10,735	3,164	7,571	32,303	9,662	22,642
Total	14,902	5,896	9,006	16,434	6,941	9,493	18,271	6,933	11,338	49,606	19,769	29,837
Total (less training facilities)	14,635	5,673	8,962	16,127	6,765	9,362	17,809	6,702	11,107	48,571	19,140	29,431

<sup>a</sup>From Table C38.

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TABLE C27

## Estimated Total Cost of Training of the RVN Army, FY65-FY67

(In thousands of dollars except per capita costs, which are in dollars)

Item	FY65		FY66		FY67		FY65-FY67	
	Cost	Percent of total cost	Cost	Percent of total cost	Cost	Percent of total cost	Cost	Percent of total cost
US military assistance funded	2812.5	68.3	1073.4	33.5	2000.5	47.3	5,886.4	50.9
Offshore training	767.4	18.6	419.3	14.0	1420.9	33.6	2,637.6	22.8
Command, staff, operations	145.2	3.5	85.4	2.7	266.2	6.3	496.8	4.3
Communications and electronics	11.4	0.3	21.6	0.7	146.4	3.5	179.4	1.6
Maintenance	48.7	1.2	28.9	0.9	62.6	1.5	140.2	1.2
Logistics	17.2	0.4	11.1	0.4	85.7	2.0	114.0	1.0
Administrative	7.0	0.2	8.2	0.2	30.5	0.7	45.7	0.4
Professional specialist	499.7	12.1	251.1	7.8	616.9	14.6	1,367.7	11.8
Orientation	34.6	0.8	42.8	1.3	204.3	4.8	281.7	2.4
Missiles	—	—	—	—	2.3	0.1	2.3	—
Escort officers	3.6	0.1	—	—	6.0	0.1	9.6	0.1
In-country training	1961.9	47.6	627.6	19.4	581.1	13.7	3,170.6	27.4
MTTs	14.9	0.4	12.6	0.4	56.5	1.3	84.0	0.7
Materiel	1532.0	37.2	439.0	13.5	50.6	1.1	2,021.6	17.4
Construction <sup>a</sup>	115.0	10.1	176.0	5.5	474.0	11.2	1,065.0	9.2
Miscellaneous	83.2	2.0	1.5	0.1	1.4	0.0	86.1	0.7
RVN defense budget	1306.9	31.7	2133.7	66.5	2227.5	52.7	5,668.1	49.1
US support	935.1	22.7	1570.6	49.0	1313.7	31.1	3,819.4	33.1
RVN support <sup>b</sup>	371.8	9.0	563.1	17.6	913.8	21.6	1,848.7	16.0
Total	4119.4	100.0	3212.1	100.0	4230.9	100.0	11,562.4	100.0
US support	3747.6	91.0	2649.0	82.4	3317.1	78.4	9,713.7	84.0
RVN support	371.8	9.0	563.1	17.6	913.8	21.6	1,848.7	16.0
Average per capita cost <sup>c</sup>	19		12		15		15	

<sup>a</sup>Based on Table C23.

<sup>b</sup>Includes construction costs from Table C26.

<sup>c</sup>Based on assigned strength and to the nearest whole absolute number.

(C) Table C28 shows in greater detail US funded costs for RVN Army training exclusive of construction and materiel for RVN Army schools and training. The broad categories of CONUS and other offshore training are defined in Ref 2. Table C29<sup>46</sup> shows the reported attendance at US Army schools and training centers.

(U) Table C30 shows the available data on materiel furnished through US military assistance programs for RVN Army schools and training centers and miscellaneous training aids. Table C31 shows these costs on a fiscal-year basis and is based on the assumption that all costs were incurred at a uniform rate during the periods covered in Table C30.

(U) Table C32 shows the estimated expenditures for training of the RVN Army funded by the RVN defense budget, exclusive of construction of training facilities (see Table C23).

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TABLE C28  
Estimated Cost of RVN Army Offshore Training<sup>4c</sup>

Item	FY65							FY66						
	Officers		Enlisted men		Total			Officers		Enlisted men		Total		
	Number	Cost	Number	Cost	Number	Cost	Percent of total cost	Number	Cost	Number	Cost	Number	Cost	Percent of total cost
CONUS	432	651,836	56	74,991	488	726,827	84.0	717	374,979	59	48,574	776	423,553	91.4
Operations	98	127,200	9	15,230	107	142,430	16.5	81	74,739	6	6,200	87	80,939	17.5
Communications electronics	5	11,363	—	—	5	11,363	1.3	14	1,919	9	19,655	23	21,574	4.6
Maintenance	47	13,950	26	34,789	73	48,739	5.6	49	13,760	26	14,420	75	28,180	6.1
Logistics	18	12,980	4	4,242	22	17,222	2.0	14	3,425	9	7,247	23	10,672	2.3
Administrative	13	6,957	—	—	13	6,957	0.8	36	7,647	5	600	41	8,247	1.8
Professional specialist	227	452,416	13	15,810	240	468,226	54.1	197	233,484	4	452	201	233,936	50.5
Orientation	21	23,370	1	4,290	25	28,290	3.3	325	39,910	—	—	325	39,910	8.6
Escort officers	3	3,600	—	—	3	3,600	0.4	1	95	—	—	1	95	0.0
Missile	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other offshore	113	39,242	2	1,320	115	40,562	4.7	175	25,050	5	663	180	25,713	5.6
Operations	2	2,781	—	—	2	2,781	0.3	26	4,476	—	—	26	4,476	1.0
Maintenance	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	663	5	663	0.2
Logistics	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	400	—	—	8	400	0.1
Professional specialist	83	31,513	—	—	83	31,513	3.7	116	17,238	—	—	116	17,238	3.7
Orientation	28	4,948	2	1,320	30	6,268	0.7	25	2,936	—	—	25	2,936	0.6
MTT (by origin)	11 <sup>a</sup>	8,402	9	6,547	20	14,949	1.7	5	8,067	4	4,353	9	12,620	2.7
CONUS	1	2,576	1	2,383	2	4,959	—	4	7,467	2	2,929	6	10,396	—
Overseas	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Supply maintenance	3	2,440	2	2,340	5	4,780	—	1	600	2	1,624	3	2,224	—
Other	7	3,386	6	1,824	13	5,210	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Civic Action	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Miscellaneous <sup>b</sup>	—	—	—	—	—	83,198	9.6	—	—	—	—	—	1,542	0.3
Total	—	699,480	—	82,858	—	865,536 <sup>c</sup>	100.0	—	408,096	—	53,790	—	463,428	100.0
Average per capita student cost, CONUS	—	1,509	—	1,339	—	—	—	—	523	—	823	—	—	—
Average per capita student cost, other offshore	—	347	—	660	—	—	—	—	143	—	133	—	—	—
Average per capita all offshore	—	—	—	—	—	1,273	—	—	—	—	—	—	470	—
Density per 1000 RVN Army assigned strength	—	—	—	—	2.8	—	—	—	—	—	—	3.5	—	—

<sup>a</sup>Includes 3 civilians.<sup>b</sup>Generic code N7F.22<sup>c</sup>Includes cost of miscellaneous.

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re Training<sup>46</sup> and US MTTs, FY65-FY67

	FY67							Total, FY65-FY67						
	Officers		Enlisted men		Total			Officers		Enlisted men		Total		
Percent of total cost	Number	Cost	Number	Cost	Number	Cost	Percent of total cost	Number	Cost	Number	Cost	Number	Cost	Percent of total cost
91.4	981	1,087,005	178	264,180	1159	1,351,185	91.4	2130	2,113,820	293	387,745	2423	2,501,565	89.1
17.5	119	197,390	40	49,350	159	246,740	16.7	298	399,329	55	70,780	353	470,109	16.7
4.6	24	53,900	40	92,540	64	146,440	9.9	43	67,182	49	112,195	92	179,377	6.4
6.1	22	16,650	38	45,900	60	62,550	4.2	118	44,360	90	95,109	208	139,469	5.0
2.3	67	61,720	30	23,930	97	85,650	5.8	99	78,125	43	35,419	142	113,544	4.1
1.8	24	26,120	3	4,410	27	30,530	2.1	73	40,724	8	5,010	81	45,734	1.6
50.5	183	557,365	11	13,450	194	570,815	38.6	607	1,243,265	28	29,712	635	1,272,977	45.3
8.6	537	167,860	14	32,340	551	200,200	13.5	883	231,140	18	37,260	901	268,400	9.6
0.0	5	6,000	—	—	5	6,000	0.4	9	9,695	—	—	9	9,695	0.3
—	—	—	2	2,260	2	2,260	0.2	—	—	2	2,260	2	2,260	0.1
5.6	127	69,580	1	140	128	69,720	4.7	415	133,872	8	2,123	423	135,995	4.8
1.0	26	19,500	—	—	26	19,500	1.3	54	26,757	—	—	54	26,757	1.0
0.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	663	5	663	0.0
0.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	400	—	—	8	400	0.0
3.7	90	46,120	—	—	90	46,120	3.1	289	94,871	—	—	289	94,871	3.3
0.6	11	3,960	1	140	12	4,100	0.3	64	11,844	3	1,460	67	13,304	0.5
2.7	4	3,920	34	52,560	38	56,480	3.8	20	20,389	47	63,664	67	84,053	3.0
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	10,043	3	5,312	8	15,355	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	3,040	4	3,964	8	7,004	—
—	—	—	4	10,760	4	10,760	—	7	3,386	10	12,588	17	15,974	—
—	4	3,920	30	41,800	34	45,720	—	4	3,920	30	41,800	34	45,720	—
0.3	—	—	—	—	—	1,440	0.1	—	—	—	—	—	86,180	3.1
100.0	—	1,160,505	—	316,880	—	1,478,825	100.0	—	2,268,081	—	453,532	—	2,807,793 <sup>c</sup>	100.0
—	—	1,108	—	1,484	—	—	—	—	992	—	1,323	—	—	—
—	—	548	—	140	—	—	—	—	323	—	265	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	1,104	—	—	—	—	—	—	927	—
—	—	—	—	—	4.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	3.7	—	—

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TABLE C29  
RVN Army Attendance at US Army Schools and Courses, FY65-FY67<sup>46</sup>

School or course	FY65			FY66			FY67			Total FY65-FY67		
	Officers	Enlisted men	Total students	Officers	Enlisted men	Total students	Officers	Enlisted men	Total students	Officers	Enlisted men	Total students
School or course, total	430	47	477	517	49	566	464	149	613	1411	245	1656
Armor	40	0	40	35	1	36	8	3	11	83	4	87
Adjutant General	12	0	12	37	0	37	26	0	26	75	0	75
Artillery	8	4	12	45	0	45	25	0	25	78	4	82
Air defense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chemical	4	0	4	2	0	2	4	0	4	10	0	10
Command and General Staff College	103	0	103	15	0	15	6	0	6	124	0	124
Engineer	41	29	70	49	15	64	32	42	74	122	86	208
Finance	7	0	7	1	0	1	19	0	19	27	0	27
Infantry	31	0	31	46	0	46	41	0	41	118	0	118
Information	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	3	0	3
Intelligence	90	0	90	150	0	150	131	0	131	371	0	371
Judge Advocate General	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Medical	0	4	4	0	0	0	4	4	8	4	8	12
Ordnance	5	0	5	33	6	39	23	14	37	61	20	81
Provost Marshal	8	4	12	21	0	21	2	3	5	31	7	38
Quartermaster	4	2	6	4	4	8	10	9	19	18	15	33
Ranger	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	4	0	4
Signal	10	0	10	26	9	35	35	44	79	71	53	124
Special Forces	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	4	0	4
Special Warfare	49	0	49	36	0	36	30	0	30	115	0	115
Transportation	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	12	16	4	12	16
Women's Army Corps	1	0	1	3	5	8	4	3	7	8	8	16
Chaplain	3	0	3	0	0	0	3	0	3	6	0	6
Logistics	12	4	16	14	9	23	46	15	61	72	28	100
Miscellaneous, total	109	14	123	63	11	74	109	34	143	281	59	340
Civil school	13	0	13	0	0	0	32	0	32	45	0	45
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Observer	36	2	38	39	0	39	19	18	37	94	20	114
On-the-job training	13	3	16	8	11	19	2	11	13	23	25	48
Orientation	26	1	27	14	0	14	10	0	10	50	1	51
Civic action	16	0	16	0	0	0	20	0	20	36	0	36
English language	0	8	8	0	0	0	26	2	28	26	10	36
Other	5	0	5	2	0	2	0	3	3	7	3	10
Total	539	61	600	580	60	640	573	183	756	1692	304	2096

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TABLE C30

US Military Assistance Materiel Deliveries for RVN Army Training,  
FY65-FY67

(In thousands of dollars)

Item	FY65 <sup>a</sup>	1 Jul 65-25 Mar 66 <sup>31</sup>		26 Mar 66-30 Jun 67 <sup>32</sup>	Total, FY66-FY67
		Number	Cost	Cost	
Truck, 1/2-ton, M606	—	4	7.2	—	7.2
Truck, 5-ton, ABT	—	1	21.9	—	21.9
Fire-control instruments	—	—	1.9	1.3	3.2
Telephone and telegraph	—	—	5.2	31.4	36.6
Radio equipment	—	—	4.3	3.6	7.9
Construction equipment	—	—	350.5	14.5	365.0
Photo equipment	—	—	5.4	1.0	6.4
Other equipment	—	—	8.7	7.8	16.5
General supplies	—	—	1.9	—	1.9
Other auto supplies	—	—	15.1	—	15.1
Miscellaneous training aids	—	—	4.3	3.6	7.9
Total	1532.0	—	426.4	63.2	2021.6 <sup>b</sup>

<sup>a</sup>Based on Ref 2; detailed data not available.<sup>b</sup>FY65-FY67.

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TABLE C31

Estimated Costs of US Military Assistance Deliveries for  
RVN Army Schools and Training Centers, FY65-FY67

(In thousands of dollars)

Fiscal year	Total cost
FY65	1532.0
FY66	439.0
FY67	50.6
FY65-FY67	2021.6

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TABLE C32  
Cost of Training of the RVN Army Funded by RVN Defense Budget,  
FY65-FY67

(In thousands of dollars)

Item	FY65		FY66		FY67		Total cost	Percent of total cost
	Cost	Percent of total cost	Cost	Percent of total cost	Cost	Percent of total cost		
Unit training	394.6	31.2	443.5	22.2	466.9	23.4	1305.0	24.8
US support	382.3	30.3	429.4	21.5	350.1	17.5	1161.8	22.1
RVN funds	12.3	0.9	14.1	0.7	116.8	5.9	143.2	2.7
Schools and training centers	824.6	65.3	1530.9	76.4	1521.7	76.2	3877.2	73.7
US support	539.3	42.7	1141.2	57.0	963.6	48.3	2644.1	50.3
RVN funds	285.3	22.6	389.7	19.4	558.1	27.9	1233.1	23.4
Sports and ceremonies	43.7	3.5	28.3	1.4	7.9	0.4	79.9	1.5
US support	13.5	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.5	0.2
RVN funds	30.2	2.4	28.3	1.4	7.9	0.4	66.4	1.3
Total	1262.9	100.0	2002.7	100.0	1996.5	100.0	5262.1	100.0
US support	935.1	74.0	1570.6	78.4	1313.7	65.8	3819.4	72.6
RVN funds	327.8	26.0	432.1	21.6	682.8	34.2	1442.7	27.4

(C) The RVN Army schools and training centers that were in existence during the period are shown in the following list:<sup>35</sup>

(a) Schools

Adjutant General	Logistics management
Administration and finance	Military Academy
Airborne	Military intelligence
Armor	Military police
Artillery	Music
Command and General	National Noncommissioned Officer
Staff School	(NCO) Academy
Engineer	Ordnance
Infantry	Quartermaster
Junior Military Academy	Signal
Language	Transportation

(b) Training centers

Basic training  
Division training (10)  
Junior Highland  
Medical training  
Military dog training  
National training (4)  
Ranger training (2)  
Special Forces  
Women's Army Corps

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## MILITARY PAY AND PERSONAL ALLOWANCES

(U) The military pay system of the RVN Army is complex. RVN Army pay includes base pay, family allowance, and a high-cost-of-living allowance. Certain personnel are entitled to one or more other kinds of allowances. Base pay is classified by national pay indexes similar to those of career civil servants. The pay index varies according to the number of years' service in grade. Detailed data and information on the RVN Army pay scales and system are contained in Ref 18.

(U) Table C33 shows the estimated total expenditures for military pay and allowances for the RVN Army to include source and average per capita costs. A more detailed breakdown by calendar year is in App B.

(U) During the period several pay raises were given to military personnel. Table C34 shows the average pay and allowances of the RVN Army personnel as of 1 July 1967.

## OTHER RVN ARMY COSTS

(U) Table C35 shows the estimated total and average annual per capita costs of expenditures for miscellaneous RVN Army activities and agencies not previously described. A more detailed breakdown by calendar year of the data contained in Table C35 is in App B.

## RECAPITULATION AND ANALYSIS

(U) Table C36 shows the estimated direct cost of support of the RVN Army by total cost, distribution by functional category, and annual per capita costs.

(U) Table C37 is a summary of the RVN defense budget for the RVN Army. The data in this table include costs of training installations among costs of "Training" and the costs of construction based on Ref 17. Table C38 shows the budget for the RVN Army as derived from the RVN defense budgets based on the assumptions in App A and the methods described in App B.

(U) Table C39 shows the estimated expenditures in direct support of the RVN Army by functional category for the period FY58-FY67.

(U) Table C40 shows the estimated ammunition expenditures for the RVN Army for the period FY58-FY67.

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TABLE C33  
Estimated Cost of RVN Military Pay and Allowances, FY65-FY67<sup>a</sup>  
(In thousands of dollars except per capita costs, which are in dollars)

Budget chapter	Description	FY65				FY66				Total	s
		Total	US support	RVN support	US support, % of total	Total	US support	RVN support	US support, % of total		
1	Office of Minister of National Defense	43.9	--	43.9	--	53.2	--	53.2	--	25.8	
2	Officers Pay & Allowances	33340.0	19341.5	13998.5	58.0	33089.7	21467.5	11622.2	64.9	38830.8	26
3	Enlisted Pay & Allowances	121524.8	65319.2	56205.6	53.7	179842.5	79598.6	100243.9	44.3	209040.7	81
4	Pensions & Gratuities	5658.4	--	5658.4	--	8592.8	--	8592.8	--	7000.8	
5	Subsistence	20120.4	3400.0	16720.4	16.9	11973.8	--	11973.8	--	2368.6	
	Total	180687.5	88060.7	92626.8	48.7	233552.0	101066.1	132485.9	43.3	257266.7	104
	Average Annual per Capita Cost Total <sup>b</sup>	842.0	410.0	432.0		876.0	379.0	497.0		910.0	
	Pay & Allow.	155.0	90.0	65.0		124.0	81.0	44.0		137.0	
	Subsistence	94.0	16.0	78.0		45.0	--	45.0		8.0	
	Other	593.0	304.0	289.0		707.0	299.0	408.0		764.0	

<sup>a</sup>Based on Table C38<sup>b</sup>Based on assigned RVN Army strength and shown to the nearest absolute number.

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TABLE C34  
RVN Army Average Annual Pay and Allowances, 1 July 1967<sup>18</sup>  
(To the nearest dollar)

Grade	Percent married	Average number of children	Base pay	Family allowance	High-cost-of-living allowance		Total annual	
					Zone A	Zone B	Zone A	Zone B
LTC	100.0	6.3	1177	288	588	495	2462	
MAJ	80.0	5.3	1006	240	516	408	2114	
CPT	94.5	4.9	835	233	508	438	1891	
1LT	84.7	4.5	702	212	429	451	1679	
2LT	64.8	2.2	608	116	348	336	1341	
Aspirant	31.0	1.8	418	47	265	245	948	
MSGT I	92.3	4.3	312	210	494	420	1307	
MSGT	87.1	4.2	304	203	491	421	1247	
SGT i	89.3	3.8	266	189	473	408	1159	
SGT	76.3	2.3	228	127	381	345	966	
CPL I	85.0	2.8	209	148	437	356	992	
CPL	75.4	1.9	211	63	205	183	628	
PVT I	77.2	2.0	170	65	204	190	604	
PVT	40.0	0.8	168	29	155	138	457	

<sup>18</sup>Includes increase based on pay index.

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TABLE C33

Annual Military Pay and Allowances, FY65-FY67<sup>a</sup>

(a) except per capita costs, which are in dollars)

FY66			FY67				FY65-FY67			
Port	RVN support	US support, % of total	Total	US support	RVN support	US support, % of total	Total	US support	RVN support	US support, % of total
	53.2	--	25.8	--	25.8	--	122.9	--	122.9	--
67.5	11622.2	64.9	38830.8	22383.4	16447.4	57.6	105260.5	63192.4	42068.1	60.0
98.6	100243.9	44.3	209040.7	81966.1	127074.6	39.2	510408.0	226883.9	283524.1	44.4
	8596.8	--	7000.8	--	7000.8	--	21252.0	--	21252.0	--
	11873.8	--	2368.6	--	2368.6	--	34462.8	3400.0	31062.8	98.7
66.1	132-85.9	43.3	257266.7	104349.5	152917.2	40.6	617506.2	293476.3	378029.9	43.7
79.0	497.0		910.0	369.0	541.0		879.0	384.0	495.0	
81.0	44.0		137.0	79.0	58.0		138.0	83.0	55.0	
	45.0		8.0	--	8.0		45.0	4.0	41.0	
99.0	468.0		764.0	290.0	474.0		696.0	297.0	399.0	

TABLE C34

Annual Pay and Allowances, 1 July 1967<sup>18</sup>

(To the nearest dollar)

Base pay	Family allowance	High-cost-of-living allowance		Total annual pay <sup>a</sup>	
		Zone A	Zone B	Zone A	Zone B
1177	288	588	495	2462	2351
1006	240	516	408	2114	1985
835	233	508	438	1891	1808
702	212	429	451	1679	1708
608	116	348	336	1341	1325
418	47	265	245	948	922
342	219	494	420	1307	1215
304	203	491	421	1247	1159
266	189	473	408	1159	1079
228	127	381	345	966	910
209	148	437	356	992	926
211	63	205	183	628	593
170	65	204	190	604	588
168	29	155	138	457	435

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Estimated Cost of Other RVN Army Activities and Agencies Funded by RVN Defense

Budget chapter	Description	FY65				FY66				Total
		Total	US support	RVN support	US support, % of total	Total	US support	RVN support	US support, % of total	
14	Psywar/Civic Action	2432.8	1873.8	559.0	77.0	3305.3	2519.4	785.9	76.2	4375
15	National Geo. Service	343.1	154.3	188.8	45.0	188.1	8.3	179.8	4.4	--
16	Central Agencies	1249.7	3.7	1246.0	--	1356.3	3.7	1352.6	--	1266
17	Regional Agencies	1351.1	--	1351.1	--	1706.8	--	1706.8	--	878
22	Social Welfare	8033.1	--	8033.1	--	5427.0	--	5427.0	--	1022
23	Legal Claims	139.4	--	139.4	--	142.2	--	142.2	--	121
24	Social Expenses	500.0	--	500.0	--	500.0	--	500.0	--	250
28	Chaplains	170.4	--	170.4	--	268.6	--	268.6	--	312
29	Polwar general division	--	--	--	--	249.8	--	249.8	--	2508
30	Veteran affairs & disabled soldiers	157.2	--	157.2	--	462.9	--	462.9	--	305
31	Rehabilitation	133.0	--	133.0	--	133.0	--	133.0	--	--
	Total	14509.8	2031.8	12478.0	14.0	13740.0	2531.4	11208.6	18.2	11041
	Average Annual per Capita Cost <sup>b</sup>	68.0	10.0	58.0		52.0	10.0	42.0		39

<sup>a</sup>Based on Table C

<sup>b</sup>Based on assigned RVN Army strength and shown to nearest absolute dollar

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TABLE C35

Activities and Agencies Funded by RVN Defense Budget, FY65-FY67<sup>a</sup>

FY66			FY67				FY65-FY67			
US support	RVN support	US support, % of total	Total	US support	RVN support	US support, % of total	Total	US support	RVN support	US support, % of total
2519.4	785.9	76.2	4375.9	3389.1	986.8	77.4	10114.0	7782.3	2331.7	76.6
8.3	179.8	4.4	--	--	--	--	531.2	162.6	368.6	30.6
3.7	1352.6	--	1266.3	--	1266.3	--	3872.3	7.4	3864.9	--
--	1736.8	--	878.2	--	878.2	--	3936.1	--	3936.1	--
--	5427.0	--	1022.9	--	1022.9	--	14483.0	--	14483.0	--
--	142.2	--	121.4	--	121.4	--	403.0	--	403.0	--
--	500.0	--	250.0	--	250.0	--	1250.0	--	1250.0	--
--	268.6	--	312.7	--	312.7	--	751.7	--	751.7	--
--	249.8	--	2508.8	1687.5	821.3	67.3	2758.6	1687.5	1071.1	61.2
--	462.9	--	305.7	--	305.7	--	925.8	--	925.8	--
--	133.0	--	--	--	--	--	266.0	--	266.0	--
2531.4	11208.6	18.2	11041.9	5076.6	5965.3	46.0	34291.7	9639.8	29651.9	24.5
10.0	42.0		39.0	18.0	21.0		51.0	13.0	38.0	

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(C) **TABLE C36**  
**Estimated Cost of Support of the RVN Army, FY65-FY67**  
(In thousands of dollars except per capita costs, which are in dollars)

Item	FY65			FY66			FY67			FY65-FY67		
	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Average per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Average per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Average per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Average annual per capita cost
Material and maintenance, total	245,076.1	53.3	1144.3	278,700.7	50.4	1045.4	233,986.6	43.7	827.7	758,363.4	19.0	992.6
US support	231,994.4	50.3	1080.1	252,989.5	45.8	949.0	202,427.8	37.8	716.1	687,301.7	44.4	890.6
Military assistance funded	215,769.1	46.8	1005.0	238,277.4	43.1	893.8	183,002.4	34.2	647.4	637,048.9	41.2	833.8
US support of RVN Army budget	16,115.3	3.5	75.1	14,712.1	2.7	55.2	10,425.4	3.6	68.7	50,252.8	3.2	65.8
RVN support	13,791.7	3.0	64.2	25,711.2	4.6	96.4	31,558.8	5.9	111.6	71,061.7	4.6	99.0
Construction, total	15,944.0	3.4	74.3	23,347.0	4.2	87.6	28,658.0	5.4	101.4	67,949.0	4.4	88.9
US support	6,983.0	1.5	32.5	13,985.0	2.5	52.5	17,531.0	3.3	62.1	38,510.0	2.5	50.4
Military assistance funded	1,310.0	0.2	6.1	7,220.0	1.3	27.1	10,849.0	2.0	38.4	19,379.0	1.3	25.4
US support of RVN Army budget	5,673.0	1.3	26.4	6,765.0	1.2	25.4	6,702.0	1.2	23.7	19,140.0	1.2	25.0
RVN support	8,961.0	1.9	41.8	9,362.0	1.7	35.1	11,107.0	2.1	39.3	29,430.0	1.9	38.5
Training, total	4,119.4	0.9	19.2	3,207.1	0.6	12.0	4,228.0	0.8	15.0	11,554.5	0.7	15.0
US support	3,747.6	0.8	17.5	2,644.0	0.5	9.9	3,314.2	0.6	11.7	9,705.8	0.6	12.7
Military assistance funded	2,812.5	0.6	13.1	1,673.4	0.2	4.0	2,000.5	0.4	7.1	5,886.4	0.4	7.7
US support of RVN Army budget	915.1	0.2	4.4	1,570.6	0.3	5.9	1,311.7	0.2	4.6	3,819.4	0.2	5.0
RVN support	371.8	0.1	1.7	563.1	0.1	2.1	913.8	0.2	3.3	1,848.7	0.1	2.3
Pay and allowances, total	180,687.5	39.2	842.0	231,532.0	42.3	876.0	257,966.7	48.1	910.0	671,506.2	43.4	879.0
US support	88,060.7	19.1	410.0	101,066.1	18.3	379.0	104,349.5	19.5	369.0	293,476.3	19.0	384.0
Military assistance funded	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
US support of RVN Army budget	88,060.7	19.1	410.0	101,066.1	18.3	379.0	104,349.5	19.5	369.0	293,476.3	19.0	384.0
RVN support	92,626.8	20.1	432.0	130,465.9	24.0	497.0	152,917.2	28.6	541.0	378,029.9	24.4	495.0
Other, total	14,500.8	3.1	68.0	13,740.0	2.5	52.0	11,041.9	2.0	39.0	39,291.7	2.5	51.0
US support	2,031.8	0.4	10.0	2,331.4	0.5	10.0	5,076.6	0.9	18.0	9,639.8	0.6	13.0
Military assistance funded	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
US support of RVN Army budget	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
RVN support	12,469.0	2.7	58.0	11,408.6	2.0	42.0	5,965.3	1.1	21.0	29,651.9	1.9	38.0
Total	460,976.8	100.0	2146.8	552,544.8	100.0	2072.6	535,181.2	100.0	1893.1	1,548,664.8	100.0	2027.0
US support	332,707.5	72.2	1549.6	373,216.0	67.6	1390.9	332,719.1	62.1	1176.9	1,038,642.6	67.1	1359.5
Military assistance funded	219,891.6	47.7	1024.2	246,570.8	44.6	924.9	196,851.9	36.6	692.8	682,314.3	42.8	866.9
US support of RVN Army budget	112,815.9	24.5	525.4	126,645.2	23.0	475.0	136,867.2	25.5	484.1	376,328.3	24.3	492.6
RVN support	128,229.3	27.8	597.2	179,310.8	32.4	672.7	202,862.1	37.9	716.2	510,022.2	32.9	667.5

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(C) TABLE C37  
Summary of RVN Defense Budget for RVN Army, FY65-FY67  
(In thousands of dollars)

Category	FY65				FY66				FY67				FY65-FY67			
	Total	US support	RVN support	US % of total	Total	US support	RVN support	US % of total	Total	US support	RVN support	US % of total	Total	US support	RVN support	US % of total
Pay and allowances	180,687.5	88,060.7	92,626.8	48.7	233,552.0	101,066.1	132,485.9	43.3	257,266.7	104,349.5	152,917.2	40.6	671,506.2	293,476.3	378,029.9	43.7
Material and maintenance	29,907.0	16,115.3	13,791.7	53.9	40,423.3	14,712.1	25,711.2	36.4	50,984.2	19,435.4	31,548.8	38.1	121,314.5	50,252.8	71,061.7	41.4
Construction and maintenance <sup>a</sup>	14,635.0	5,674.0	8,961.0	3.8	16,127.0	6,765.0	9,362.0	41.9	17,899.0	6,701.0	11,198.0	37.6	48,570.0	19,139.0	29,431.0	39.4
Training <sup>b</sup>	1,306.9	935.1	371.8	71.6	2,133.7	1,570.6	563.1	73.6	2,227.5	1,313.7	913.8	59.0	5,668.1	3,819.4	1,848.7	67.4
Other	14,509.8	2,703.8	12,478.0	14.0	13,740.0	2,531.4	11,208.6	18.4	11,041.9	5,076.6	5,965.3	46.0	39,291.7	9,639.8	29,651.9	24.5
Total	241,046.2	112,816.9	128,229.3	46.8	305,076.0	126,645.2	179,330.8	41.4	330,329.3	136,866.2	202,463.1	40.3	896,350.5	376,327.3	510,023.2	42.5

<sup>a</sup>Based on Table C26.

<sup>b</sup>Based on Table C27.

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TABLE C38  
Breakdown of RVN Defense Budget for RVN Army, FY65-FY67  
(In thousands of dollars)

Budget chapter	Description	FY65			FY66			FY67		
		Total	US support	RVN funds	Total	US support	RVN funds	Total	US support	RVN funds
1	Pay & Allowances Total	180687.5	88060.7	92626.8	233552.0	101066.1	132485.9	257266.7	104349.5	152917
	Office of Minister of National Defense	43.9	--	43.9	53.2	--	53.2	25.8	--	25
2	Officers - P&A	33340.0	19341.5	13998.5	33089.7	21467.5	11622.2	38830.8	22383.4	16447
3	NCO-ENL - P&A	121524.8	65319.2	56205.6	179842.5	79598.6	100243.9	209040.7	81966.1	127074
4	Pensions & Gratuities	5658.4	--	5658.4	8592.8	--	8592.8	7000.8	--	7000
5	Subsistence	20120.4	3400.0	16720.4	11973.8	--	11973.8	2368.6	--	2368
	Material & Maintenance Total	29907.0	16115.3	13791.7	40423.3	14712.1	25711.2	50984.2	19425.4	31558
6	Transportation	4549.2	3239.7	1309.5	5345.2	2897.7	2447.5	5049.2	2696.1	2353
9	Ordinance	4614.5	2098.0	2516.5	4754.1	610.6	4143.5	4938.1	622.4	4315
11	Engineer - Supply & Maintenance	3544.7	1367.9	2176.8	4979.5	1109.5	3870.0	5145.7	570.6	4575
12	Quartermaster	14142.1	8444.9	5697.2	21015.7	9363.3	11652.4	30887.6	14882.5	16005
13	Medical	1775.6	604.1	1171.5	2899.5	413.0	2486.5	3364.0	180.9	3183
10	Signal	1244.4	324.2	920.2	1384.3	273.0	1111.3	1519.3	392.6	1126
21	Foreign Tech.	36.5	36.5	--	45.0	45.0	--	80.3	80.3	--
	Construction Total	20425.1	6737.3	13687.8	22108.1	5631.8	16476.3	22002.9	5835.3	16167
18	New Construction	9360.7	3637.9	5722.8	11603.6	2233.4	9370.2	11268.5	2671.8	8596
19	Facility Maintenance	11064.4	3099.4	7965.0	10504.5	3398.4	7106.1	10734.4	3163.5	7570
	Training Total	1262.9	935.1	327.8	2002.7	1570.6	432.1	1996.5	1313.7	682
20	Training	1262.9	935.1	327.8	2002.7	1570.6	432.1	1996.5	1313.7	682
	Other Total	14509.8	2031.8	12478.0	13740.0	2531.4	11208.6	11041.9	5076.6	5965
14	Psywar/Civic Action	2432.8	1873.8	559.0	3305.3	2519.4	785.9	4375.9	3389.1	986
15	National Geo. Service	343.1	154.3	188.8	188.1	8.3	179.8	--	--	--
16	Central Agencies	1249.7	3.7	1246.0	1356.3	3.7	1352.6	1266.3	--	1266
17	Regional Agencies	1351.1	--	1351.1	1706.8	--	1706.8	878.2	--	878
22	Social Welfare	8033.1	--	8033.1	5427.0	--	5427.0	1022.9	--	1022
23	Legal Claims	139.4	--	139.4	142.2	--	142.2	121.4	--	121
24	Social Expenses	500.0	--	500.0	500.0	--	500.0	250.0	--	250
28	Chaplains	170.4	--	170.4	268.6	--	268.6	312.7	--	312
29	Polwar General Division	--	--	--	249.8	--	249.8	2508.8	1687.5	821
30	Vet Affairs & Disabled Soldiers	157.2	--	157.2	462.9	--	462.9	305.7	--	305
31	Rehabilitation	133.0	--	133.0	133.0	--	133.0	--	--	--
	Grand Total	246792.3	113880.2	132912.1	311826.1	125512.0	186314.1	343292.2	136000.5	207291

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66	FY67				FY65-FY67		
	RVN funds	Total	US support	RVN funds	Total	US support	RVN funds
66.1	132485.9	257266.7	104349.5	152917.2	671506.2	293476.3	378029.4
	53.2	25.8	--	25.8	122.9	--	122.9
667.5	11622.2	38830.8	22383.4	16447.4	105260.5	63192.4	42068.1
598.6	100243.9	209040.7	81966.1	127074.6	510408.0	226883.9	283524.1
	8592.8	7000.8	--	7000.8	21252.0	--	21252.0
	11973.8	2368.6	--	2368.6	34462.8	3400.0	31062.8
712.1	25711.2	50984.2	19425.4	31558.8	121314.5	50252.8	71061.7
897.7	2447.5	5049.2	2696.1	2353.1	14943.6	8833.5	6110.1
610.6	4143.5	4938.1	622.4	4315.7	14306.7	3331.0	10975.7
109.5	3870.0	5145.7	570.6	4575.1	13669.9	3048.0	10621.9
363.3	11652.4	30887.6	14882.5	16005.1	66045.4	32690.7	33354.7
413.0	2486.5	3364.0	180.9	3183.1	8039.1	1198.0	6841.1
273.0	1111.3	1519.3	392.6	1126.7	4148.0	989.8	3158.2
45.0	--	80.3	80.3	--	161.8	161.8	--
631.8	16476.3	22002.9	5835.3	16167.6	64536.1	18204.4	46331.7
233.4	9370.2	11268.5	2671.8	8596.7	32232.8	8543.1	23689.7
3398.4	7106.1	10734.4	3163.5	7570.9	32303.3	9661.3	22642.0
570.6	432.1	1996.5	1313.7	682.8	5262.1	3819.4	1442.7
570.6	432.1	1996.5	1313.7	682.8	5262.1	3819.4	1442.7
2531.4	11208.6	11041.9	5076.6	5965.3	39291.7	9639.8	29651.9
2519.4	785.9	4375.9	3389.1	986.8	10114.0	7782.3	2331.7
8.3	179.8	--	--	--	531.2	162.6	368.6
3.7	1352.6	1266.3	--	1266.3	3872.3	7.4	3864.9
--	1706.8	878.2	--	878.2	3936.1	--	3936.1
--	5427.0	1022.9	--	1022.9	14483.0	--	14483.0
--	142.2	121.4	--	121.4	403.0	--	403.0
--	500.0	250.0	--	250.0	1250.0	--	1250.0
--	268.6	312.7	--	312.7	751.7	--	751.7
--	249.8	2508.8	1687.5	821.3	2758.6	1687.5	1071.1
--	462.9	305.7	--	305.7	925.8	--	925.8
--	133.0	--	--	--	266.0	--	266.0
5512.0	186314.1	343292.2	136000.5	207291.7	901910.6	375392.7	526517.9

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TAB

**Estimated Expenditures by Functional Category**  
(In thousands of dollars except per capita)

Activity	FY58			FY59			FY60			FY61			Total cost	Per capita
	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost		
Materiel and maintenance	103,853	42	817	54,640	29	411	76,192	36	587	71,679	34	527	125,106	
RVN	0	—	—	0	—	—	144	—	—	1,876	1	14	4,915	
US support of RVN defense budget	20,198	8	159	19,127	10	144	17,884	8	138	15,009	7	110	9,400	
MAP <sup>a</sup>	83,655	34	658	35,513	19	267	58,164	28	449	54,794	26	403	110,791	
Construction of facilities	7,393	3	58	8,810	5	66	7,938	4	61	8,094	4	60	7,494	
RVN	0	—	—	0	—	—	65	—	—	569	—	4	1,501	
US support of RVN defense budget	7,393	3	58	8,810	5	66	7,873	4	61	7,076	4	52	5,993	
MAP	0	—	—	0	—	—	0	—	—	449 <sup>b</sup>	—	4	0	
Training	3,595	2	28	4,060	2	31	3,767	2	29	2,898	1	21	3,133	
RVN	0	—	—	0	—	—	0	—	—	4	—	—	17	
US support of RVN defense budget	1,439	1	11	1,850	1	14	1,769	1	14	1,638	1	12	1,293	
MAP	2,156	1	17	2,210	1	17	1,998	1	15	1,256	—	9	1,823	
Operations and maintenance, Army (OMA)	0	—	—	0	—	—	0	—	—	0	—	—	0	
Pay and allowances	123,822	50	974	113,634	61	854	115,198	55	888	124,151	58	913	119,293	
RVN	0	—	—	0	—	—	3,740	2	29	9,704	4	71	15,718	
US support of RVN defense budget	123,822	50	974	113,634	61	854	111,458	53	859	114,447	54	842	103,575	
Other costs	6,767	3	53	6,066	3	46	5,846	3	45	6,238	3	46	5,633	
RVN	0	—	—	0	—	—	412	—	3	1,537	1	11	2,702	
US support of RVN defense budget	6,767	3	53	6,066	3	46	5,434	3	42	4,701	2	35	2,931	
US support of RVN defense budget	159,619	65	—	149,487	80	—	144,418	69	—	142,871	67	—	123,192	
RVN	0	—	—	0	—	—	4,361	2	—	13,690	6	—	24,853	
MAP and OMA	85,811	35	—	37,723	20	—	60,162	29	—	56,499	27	—	112,614	
Total	245,430	100	1930	187,210	100	1408	208,941	100	1610	213,060	100	1567	260,659	

<sup>a</sup>Excludes identified costs of non-RVN Army MAP-supported programs that are assumed to be materiel and maintenance.

<sup>b</sup>1958-1961.

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TABLE C39

Category in Direct Support of the RVN Army, FY58-FY67

(Except per capita costs, which are in dollars)

FY62			FY63			FY64			FY65			FY66			FY67		
Sl No	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost
106	48	773	105,322	44	542	102,822	40	534	245,676	53	1144	278,701	50	1045	233,986	44	828
915	2	31	7,172	3	37	6,410	2	33	13,792	3	64	25,711	5	96	31,559	6	112
400	4	58	7,040	3	36	12,887	5	67	16,115	4	75	14,712	2	55	19,425	4	69
791	42	684	91,110	38	469	83,525	33	434	215,769	46	1005	238,278	43	894	183,002	34	647
494	3	46	11,629	5	60	10,130	4	53	15,944	3	74	23,347	4	88	28,658	5	101
501	1	9	2,683	1	14	3,775	1	20	8,961	2	42	9,362	2	35	11,107	2	39
993	2	37	5,854	3	30	6,355	3	33	5,673	1	26	6,765	1	25	6,702	1	24
0	—	—	3,092	1	16	0	—	—	1,310	—	6	7,220	1	28	10,849	2	38
133	1	19	3,433	1	18	2,233	1	12	4,119	1	19	3,207	1	12	4,228	1	15
17	—	—	21	—	—	161	—	1	372	—	2	563	—	2	914	—	3
293	—	8	1,235	—	6	893	1	5	935	1	4	1,571	1	6	1,314	—	5
823	1	11	2,141	1	12	814	—	4	2,812	—	13	1,073	—	4	2,000	1	7
0	—	—	36	—	—	365	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
293	46	737	112,216	47	577	132,014	51	685	180,688	39	842	233,552	42	876	257,267	48	910
718	6	97	25,789	11	133	50,741	20	263	92,627	20	432	132,486	24	497	152,917	29	541
575	40	640	86,427	36	444	81,273	31	422	88,061	19	410	101,066	18	379	104,350	19	369
633	2	35	6,027	3	31	9,389	4	49	14,510	4	68	13,740	3	52	11,042	2	39
702	1	17	3,920	2	20	6,966	3	36	12,478	3	58	11,209	2	42	5,965	1	21
931	1	18	2,107	1	11	2,423	1	13	2,032	1	10	2,531	1	10	5,977	1	18
192	47	—	102,663	43	—	103,831	40	—	112,816	25	—	126,645	23	—	136,867	26	—
853	10	—	39,585	17	—	68,053	27	—	128,229	27	—	179,331	32	—	202,462	38	—
614	43	—	96,379	40	—	84,704	33	—	219,892	48	—	246,571	45	—	195,852	36	—
659	100	1610	238,627	100	1228	256,588	100	1333	460,937	100	2147	552,547	100	2073	535,181	100	1893

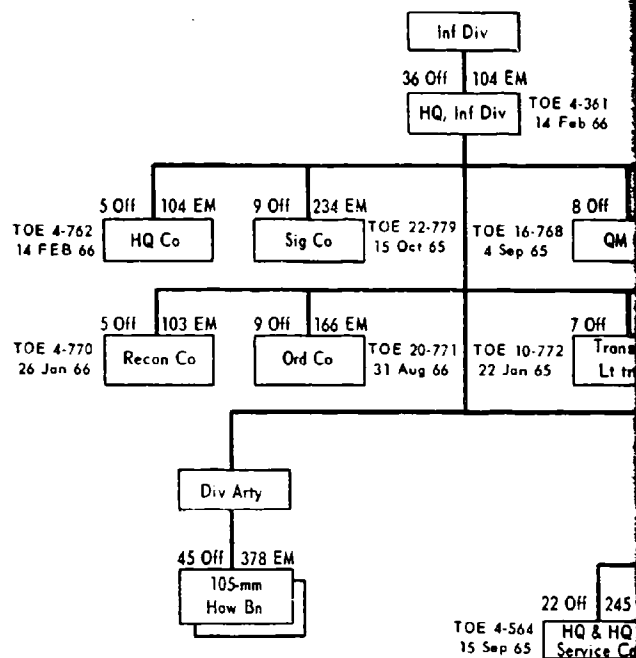


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Estimated Total and per Capita Ammunition Costs for the R  
(In thousands of dollars except per capita costs, which

Category	FY58			FY59			FY60			FY61			FY62			Total cost
	Total cost	Per capita cost	Percent of total cost	Total cost	Per capita cost	Percent of total cost	Total cost	Per capita cost	Percent of total cost	Total cost	Per capita cost	Percent of total cost	Total cost	Per capita cost	Percent of total cost	
Small arms	7,377	59	46	278	2	5	39	0	0	2,244	17	31	9,720	60	39	9,085
Grenades	—	—	—	158	1	3	—	—	—	354	3	3	1,085	7	4	2,296
40-mm grenade launchers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	185
Mortars, 60- and 81-mm	534	4	3	969	7	16	4,784	37	48	1,338	10	12	4,589	28	19	7,180
Artillery	1,030	8	6	1466	11	24	1,172	9	12	4,964	37	46	2,975	19	13	3,671
105- and 155-mm	762	—	—	790	—	—	923	—	—	3,511	—	—	1,372	—	—	2,760
4.2 in.	268	—	—	676	—	—	249	—	—	1,453	—	—	1,603	—	—	911
Fuzes and primers <sup>b</sup>	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other	7,021	55	45	3144	24	52	4,034	31	40	1,930	13	18	6,184	38	25	7,736
Total	15,962	126	100	6015	45	100	10,029	77	100	10,830	80	100	24,553	152	100	30,153

<sup>a</sup>Exclusive of supply operations.<sup>b</sup>Included in "other" for the period FY58-FY64 inclusive.

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Fig. C2—Organization Chart, Infantry Division

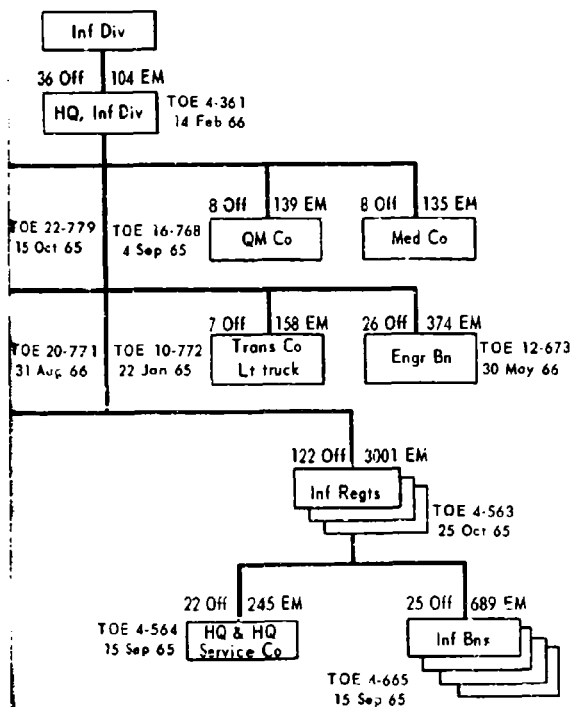
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TABLE C40

Ammunition Costs for the RVN Army, FY58-FY67<sup>a</sup>

<sup>a</sup> except per capita costs, which are in dollars)

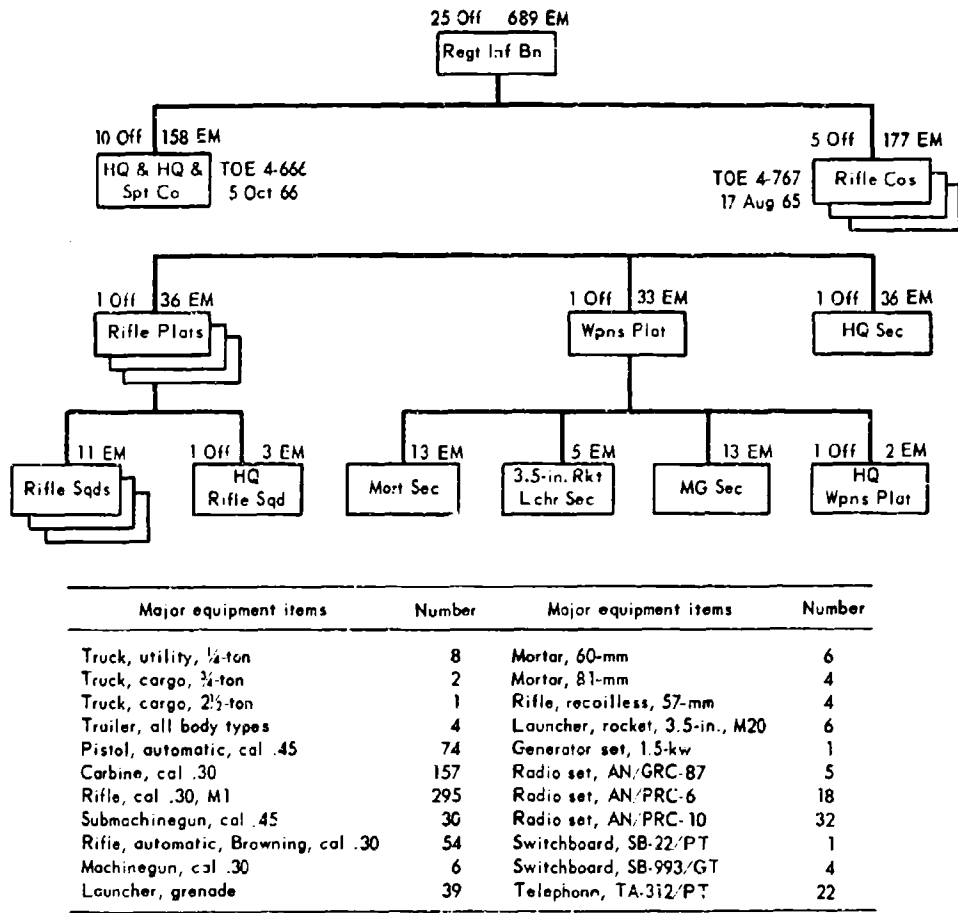
FY62		FY63			FY64			FY65			FY66			FY67		
Per capita cost	Percent of total cost	Total cost	Per capita cost	Percent of total cost	Total cost	Per capita cost	Percent of total cost	Total cost	Per capita cost	Percent of total cost	Total cost	Per capita cost	Percent of total cost	Total cost	Per capita cost	Percent of total cost
60	39	9,085	47	30	18,394	96	40	12,047	56	16	14,240	53	11	14,234	51	16
7	4	2,296	12	8	1,686	9	4	1,818	8	2	1,216	5	1	2,806	10	3
—	—	185	1	0	874	5	2	4,078	19	6	2,931	11	2	2,811	10	3
28	19	7,180	37	24	2,126	11	5	3,571	17	5	11,172	42	9	5,147	18	6
19	13	3,671	18	12	15,913	82	35	49,594	231	67	94,518	355	74	59,731	211	67
—	—	2,760	—	—	14,919	—	—	39,010	—	—	73,412	—	—	40,402	—	—
—	—	911	—	—	994	—	—	853	—	—	2,260	—	—	3,480	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9,731	—	—	18,846	—	—	15,849	—	—
38	25	7,736	40	26	6,934	35	14	2,923	14	4	3,938	15	3	4,464	16	5
152	100	30,153	155	100	45,927	238	100	74,029	345	100	128,015	481	100	89,193	316	100



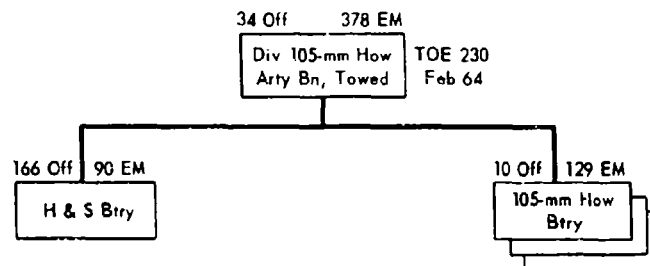
Organization Chart, Infantry Division

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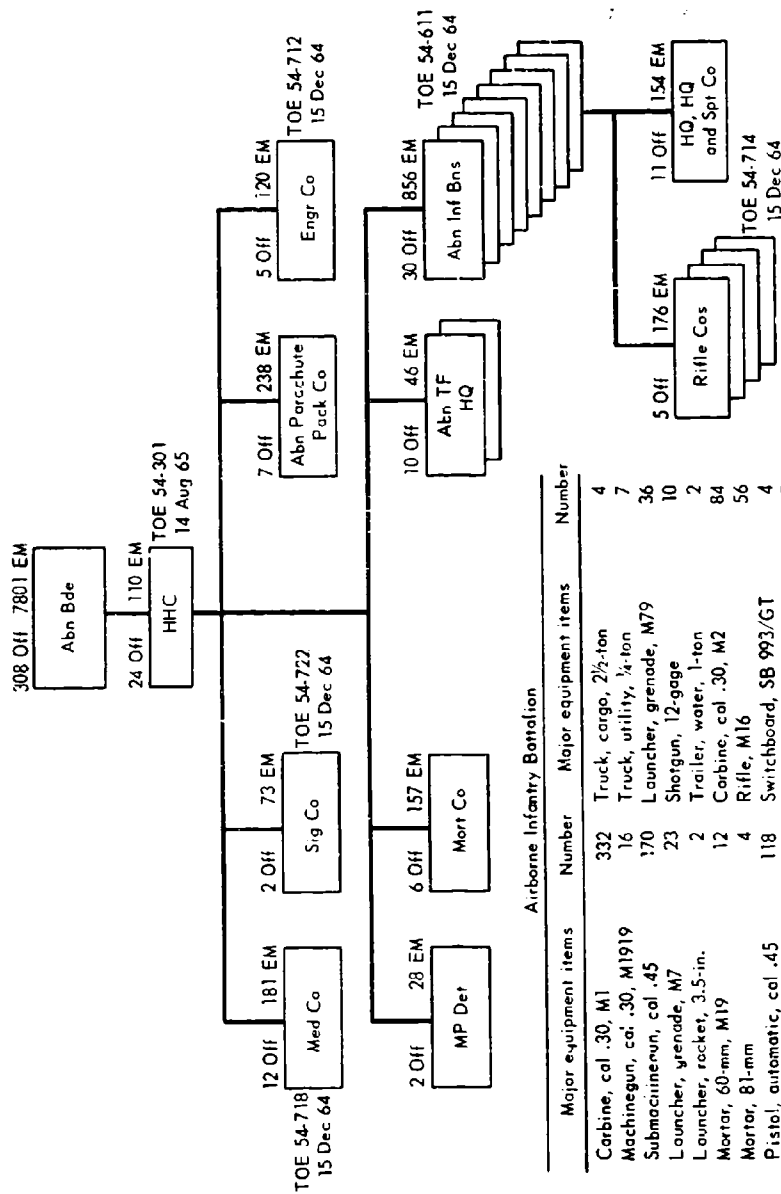
(C) Fig. C3—Organization Chart and Major Equipment,  
Regimental Infantry Battalion  
TOE 4-665, 15 Oct 65.



Major equipment items	Number	Major equipment items	Number
Truck, ¼-ton, all body types	37	Howitzer, 105-mm	18
Truck, ¾-ton	20	Radio set, AN/VRC-34	7
Truck, 2½-ton, all body types	44	Radio set, AN/GRC-87	4
Wrecker, 2½-ton	1	Radio set, AN/VRC-1T	6
Trailer, all body types	58	Radio set, AN/VRC-9	11
Pistol, cal .45	45	Radio set, AN/VRQ-2	1
Carbine, cal .30, M1	240	Radio set, AN/PRC-9	23
Rifle, cal .30, M1	92	Switchboard, SB-22/PT	4
Submachinegun, cal .45	131	Telephone, TA-312/PT	66
Rifle, automatic, cal .30, BAR	14	Switchboard, SB-993/GT	3
Machinegun, cal .30, M1919	11		

(C) Fig. C4—Organization Chart and Major Equipment,  
Divisional 105-mm Howitzer Battalion

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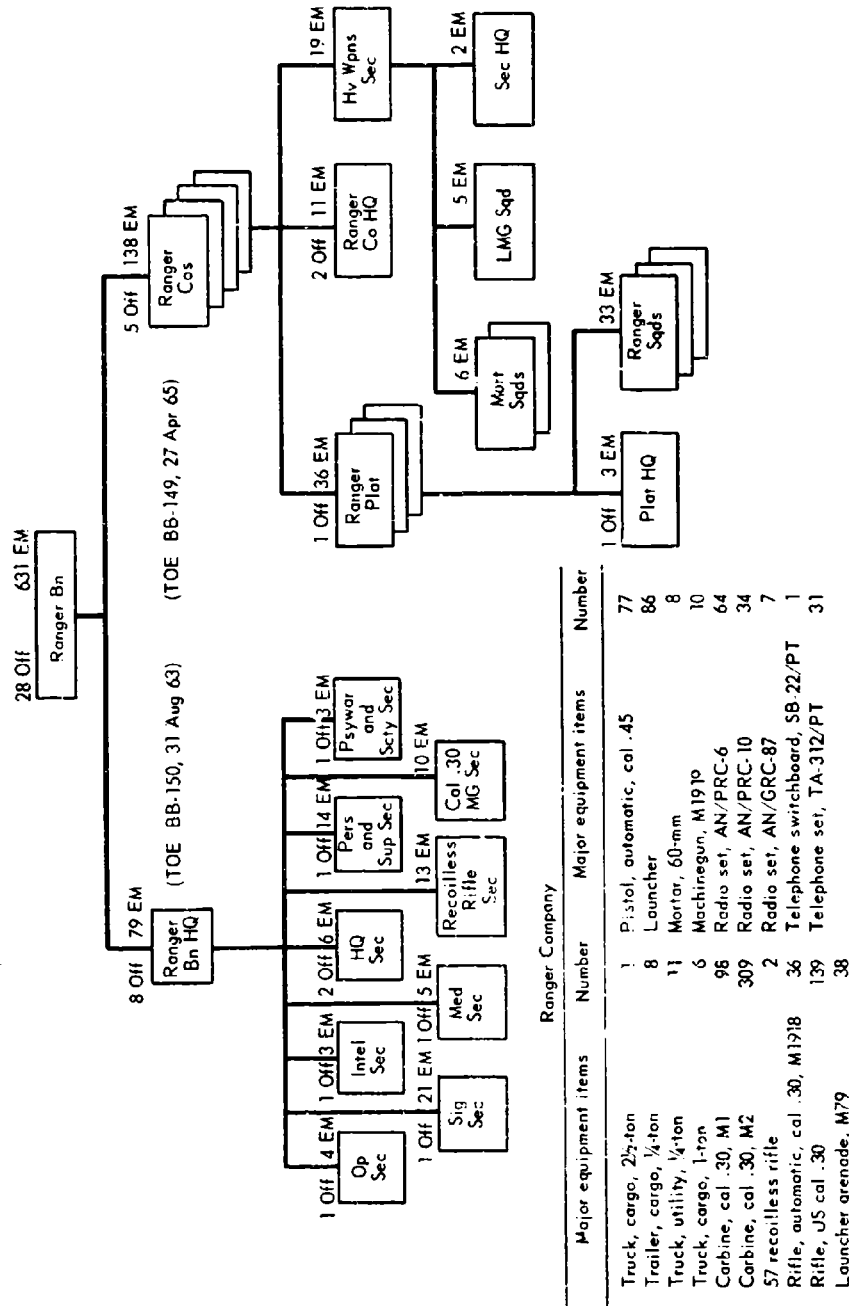
Airborne Infantry Battalion

Major equipment items	Number	Major equipment items	Number
Carbine, cal .30, M1	332	Truck, cargo, 2 1/2-ton	4
Machinegun, cal .30, M1919	16	Truck, utility, 1/2-ton	7
Submachinegun, cal .45	170	Launcher, grenade, M79	36
Launcher, grenade, M7	23	Shotgun, 12-gage	10
Launcher, rocket, 3.5-in.	2	Trailer, water, 1-ton	2
Mortar, 60-mm, M19	12	Carbine, cal .30, M2	84
Mortar, 81-mm	4	Rifle, M16	56
Pistol, automatic, cal .45	118	Switchboard, SB 993/GT	4
Rifle, 57-mm	4	Radio set, AN/GRC-87	7
Rifle, automatic, Browning, cal .30	36	Radio set, AN/PRC-6	64
Rifle, US, cal .30, M1	223	Radio set, AN/PRC-10	36
Trailer, cargo, 1/4-ton	3	Switchboard, SB-22/PT	1
Trailer, cargo, 1-ton	6	Telephone, TA-312/PT	20
Truck, cargo, 1/2-ton	4	Radio receiver, commercial	5

(C) Fig. C5—Organization Chart and Major Equipment, Airborne Brigade  
TOE 54-300, 9 Oct 65.

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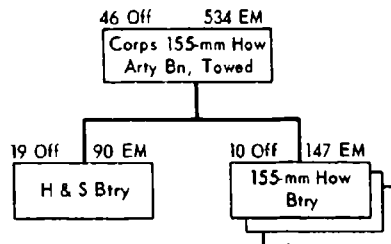
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(C) Fig. C6—Organization Chart and Major Equipment, Ranger Battalion  
TOE 5-640, Sep 66.

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Major equipment items	Number	Major equipment items	Number
Truck, 1/4-ton, all body types	38	Machinegun, cal .30-mm, M1919	11
Truck, 3/4-ton	20	Howitzer, 155-mm	18
Truck, 2 1/2-ton, all body types	5	Radio set, AN/VRC 34	4
Truck, cargo, 5-ton	39	Radio set, AN/GRC 87	7
Wrecker, 2 1/2-ton	1	Radio set, AN/VRC 17	6
Trailer, all body types	44	Radio set, AN/VRC 9	11
Pistol, cal .45	51	Radio set, AN/VRC 2	1
Carbine, cal .30, M1	241	Radio set, AN/PRC 9	21
Rifle, cal .30, M1	125	Switchboard, SB 22/PT	4
Submachinegun, cal .45	149	Telephone TA 312/PT	67
Rifle, automatic, cal .30, BAR	14	Switchboard SB 993/GT	3

(C) Fig. C7—Organization Chart and Major Equipment, Corps Artillery,  
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## FORCE STRUCTURE

(C) The authorized force structures of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces are under constant modification and complete tabulations are published at different times. These tabulations usually do not fully reflect in all detail the force structure at the time of publication. One factor accounting for these perturbations is the incorporation of other formations within the Regional Forces and Popular Forces. For example, considerable numbers of Armed Combat Youth were incorporated into the Popular Forces in 1964 and units of the Civilian Irregular Defense Group Program were incorporated into the Regional Forces in 1967.<sup>15</sup>

(U) Table D1 shows the authorized force structures of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces for FY65-FY67. Detailed data on the authorized composition and major mission items of selected units are at the end of this appendix (Figs. D1 to D12).

## STRENGTHS

(U) Tables D2 and D3 show respectively the assigned strength and other data on personnel turnover of the Regional Forces and the Popular Forces.

(U) Table D4 shows the distribution by strength of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces among the corps areas. The discrepancies between the data in Tables D2 and D3 and the data in Table D4 cannot be fully explained. The discrepancies are probably due primarily to different reporting sources.

## MATERIEL AND MAINTENANCE

### General

(U) The general comments contained in App C under "Materiel and Maintenance" are also applicable to the Regional Forces and Popular Forces.

(U) Tables D5 and D6 show the estimated total costs of materiel and maintenance for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces respectively. The estimates in these tables do not cover the costs of some materiel, mostly repair parts and other consumables and items, in the data for the RVN Army but intended for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces and which cannot be identified. It is surmised that these costs are not significant compared with the total costs. In preparing Tables D5 and D6 it was assumed that expenditures for materiel and maintenance, less ammunition, during FY66 and FY67 were made at a uniform rate.

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TABLE D1  
Regional Forces and Popular Forces Authorized Force Structures,  
FY65-FY67

Unit	FY65 <sup>33</sup>		FY66 <sup>34</sup>		FY67 <sup>35</sup>	
	Number	Total strength	Number	Total strength	Number	Total strength
Regional Forces (RF)	—	107,983	—	131,999	—	152,516
Headquarters units	—	7,611	—	—	—	13,446
RF/PF headquarters	1	1,000	1	958	1	958
Corps headquarters	5	690	4	696	4	696
Sector (province) headquarters	43	3,870	43	5,375	43	5,375
Special sector headquarters	2	75	5	255	5	255
Subsector headquarters	116	1,856	237	6,162	237	6,162
Liaison teams	12	120	0	0	0	0
Schools and training centers	—	1,863	—	3,776	—	3,776
RF/PF training center (Type A)	—	—	2	844	2	844
RF/PF training center (Type B)	—	—	4	1,000	4	1,000
RF/PF training center (province Type A)	—	—	21	840	21	840
RF/PF training center (province Type B)	—	—	21	1,092	21	1,092
Combat and combat support units	—	81,004	—	98,795	—	116,874
Battalion headquarters and headquarters company	8	544	12	816	12	816
Rifle company	593	78,276	759	95,837	863	113,196
Mechanized rifle platoon	52	2,184	51	2,142	51	2,142
Administrative units	—	12,600	—	15,144	—	15,236
A and DSL Company	50	7,000	46	9,430	44	9,020
A and DSL Company augmentation	50	1,500	45	1,978	46	2,052
Intelligence Platoon	44	1,232	44	1,232	45	1,260
Intelligence Squad	239	2,868	242	2,904	242	2,904
Psychological warfare and civil affairs	—	663	—	1,286	—	1,286
Psychological warfare office	0	0	1	62	1	62
Cultural platoon	0	0	5	120	4	120
Psychological warfare and civilian joint teams	0	0	45	540	45	540
Chaplain service	0	0	1	224	1	224
Social unit	0	0	1	200	1	200
Security office	0	0	1	140	1	140
Psychological warfare battalion	1	663	0	0	0	0
River patrol	—	1,242	—	2,152	—	1,898
Group headquarters	0	—	1	58	1	58
Patrol company	18	1,242	26	1,794	24	1,656
Maintenance platoon	0	0	7	210	3	90
Training center	0	0	1	90	1	94
Miscellaneous	—	3,112	0	0	0	0
Land development company	7	924	0	0	0	0
Rail security group	1	2,118	0	0	0	0
Popular Forces (PF)	—	174,185	—	185,000	—	147,478
Rifle platoon	3761	142,918	4066	154,408	3881	147,478
Rifle squad	2462	27,082	2772	30,492	0	0
Training centers	39	1,170	0	0	0	0
Headquarters units	299	3,015	0	0	0	0

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(C) **TABLE D2**  
**Regional Forces Monthly Personnel Strengths and Losses, FY65-FY67<sup>a</sup>**  
(All numbers in thousands except average rate per 1000 per month)

Regional Forces	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Monthly average	Average rate per 1000 per month
<b>FY65</b>														
Assigned strength	88.6	89.8	91.1	92.3	92.9	96.0	98.9	99.1	100.0	102.7	125.5	107.7	97.1	—
Losses														
Desertions	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.5	0.8	1.1	1.3	2.1	2.4	1.3	13.4
Discharges	—	—	—	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.0
KIA	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.5 <sup>b</sup>	0.4 <sup>b</sup>	0.5 <sup>b</sup>	0.5 <sup>b</sup>	0.6 <sup>b</sup>	1.4 <sup>b</sup>	0.4 <sup>b</sup>	0.4 <sup>b</sup>
MIA	0.1	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	0.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>FY66</b>														
Assigned strength	111.2	117.2	120.0	125.9	130.7	132.2	133.9	136.9	136.8	135.6	137.9	141.4	123.0	—
Accessions	—	—	—	—	—	—	3.2	3.7	2.0	1.7	4.4	5.5	1.6	13.0
Losses														
Desertions	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.0	0.9	1.4	1.1	1.9	1.1	3.4	2.6	1.5	1.6	13.0
Discharges	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	2.4
KIA	1.1 <sup>b</sup>	0.5 <sup>b</sup>	0.5 <sup>b</sup>	0.7 <sup>b</sup>	0.8 <sup>b</sup>	0.7 <sup>b</sup>	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.5	4.0
MIA <sup>c</sup>	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	—
<b>FY67</b>														
Assigned strength	141.3	143.5	145.5	148.9	149.2	149.8	145.9	143.8	141.8	142.0	141.9	141.3	144.6	—
Accessions	4.1	4.2	3.0	3.8	2.9	2.6	2.3	1.8	1.6	3.0	1.9	2.2	2.8	19.4
Losses														
Desertions	1.0	0.9	0.6	0.7	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.2	0.9
Discharges	0.9	0.1	0.1	0.1	—	0.1	0.1	—	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.7
KIA	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	1.4
MIA <sup>c</sup>	0.1	0.1	—	0.1	—	—	—	—	0.1	0.1	0.1	—	0.1	—

<sup>a</sup>Based on Refs 2, 9, 10, 14, 22c and 36.  
<sup>b</sup>Total KIA, MIA, and other dead.  
<sup>c</sup>Includes captured.

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(C) TABLE D3  
Popular Forces Monthly Personnel Strengths and Losses, FY65-FY67<sup>a</sup>  
(All numbers in thousands except average rate per 1000 per month)

Popular Forces	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Monthly average	Average rate per 1000 per month
<b>FY65</b>														
Assigned strength	128.1	146.6	155.1	157.8	168.2	168.3	165.0	161.6	156.6	152.5	150.5	149.0	154.6	—
Accessions	31.8	27.5	15.4	10.6	17.4	7.4	4.5	2.3	3.1	—	—	—	10.0	64.3
Losses														
Desertions	2.2	3.0	2.6	3.7	3.1	3.1	3.4	3.9	5.0	5.4	3.2	4.8	2.9	23.1
Discharges	1.3	3.2	3.4	3.0	3.0	4.5	3.5	0.7	2.2	2.2	1.8	1.3	2.5	11.8
KIA	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.9	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.9 <sup>b</sup>	0.5 <sup>b</sup>	0.4	0.8 <sup>b</sup>	5.0
MIA <sup>c</sup>	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.8	0.6	—	—	0.6	—	—
<b>FY66</b>														
Assigned strength	144.7	141.1	137.8	135.5	135.4	136.4	135.6	136.0	135.3	136.9	137.2	137.7	135.7	—
Accessions	5.1	4.4	5.0	3.3	4.6	5.1	3.6	4.9	6.8	7.0	4.8	5.3	5.0	36.8
Losses														
Desertions	5.2	5.3	3.2	4.0	3.4	2.4	2.4	4.3	4.6	4.4	3.0	3.6	3.8	28.0
Discharges	2.9	1.7	1.3	1.1	1.0	0.9	1.0	0.5	1.0	0.5	1.0	0.5	1.1	8.1
KIA	1.3 <sup>b</sup>	0.9 <sup>b</sup>	0.5 <sup>b</sup>	0.5 <sup>b</sup>	0.4 <sup>b</sup>	0.8 <sup>b</sup>	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.6	5.0
MIA <sup>c</sup>	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	0.2	0.3	—	0.1	0.1	—	—
<b>FY67</b>														
Assigned strength	138.7	139.7	140.6	145.2	149.2	150.1	147.4	146.0	143.6	142.5	141.3	141.2	143.8	—
Accessions	5.7	5.1	3.5	6.8	7.1	4.3	1.5	0.9	1.5	1.3	2.3	3.9	3.7	22.2
Losses														
Desertions	3.3	3.2	1.9	1.8	2.3	2.3	2.2	1.5	2.5	1.4	1.7	2.4	2.2	15.3
Discharges	6.8	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.5	1.6	0.7	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.6	4.2
KIA	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.3	2.1
MIA <sup>c</sup>	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	—

<sup>a</sup>Based on Refs 2, 9, 10, 14, 22<sup>c</sup>, and 36.

<sup>b</sup>Total KIA, MIA, and other dead.

<sup>c</sup>Includes captured.

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TABLE D4  
Distribution of Regional Forces and Popular Forces on Various Dates,  
Assigned Strengths Only <sup>12a</sup>

Assignment	31 Jan 66		30 Jun 66		31 Dec 66		31 Jan 67		30 Jun 67	
	Number assigned	Percent of total	Number assigned	Percent of total	Number assigned	Percent of total	Number assigned	Percent of total	Number assigned	Percent of total
Regional Forces										
I Corps	12,667	11.6	16,578	14.2	16,308	12.9	16,895	13.2	17,227	13.8
II Corps	25,602	23.4	27,349	23.5	30,952	24.4	31,589	24.7	31,185	25.0
III Corps	27,967	25.6	28,434	24.4	31,817	25.1	30,920	24.2	28,408	22.8
IV Corps	43,078	39.1	44,089	37.9	47,590	37.6	48,569	37.9	47,808	38.4
Total	109,304	—	116,450	—	126,667	—	127,973	—	124,628	—
Popular Forces										
I Corps	17,291	13.1	23,910	17.4	25,684	17.1	24,354	16.4	22,762	16.3
II Corps	35,017	26.6	34,022	24.8	35,916	24.0	36,423	24.5	35,416	25.3
III Corps	21,851	16.6	22,591	16.5	25,635	17.1	25,805	17.3	23,204	16.6
IV Corps	57,454	43.7	56,665	41.3	62,709	41.8	62,108	41.8	58,579	41.8
Total	131,623	—	137,188	—	149,944	—	148,690	—	139,961	—

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(C) TABLE D5  
Estimated Total Cost of Materiel and Maintenance for RVN Regional Forces, FY65-FY67  
(in thousands of dollars except per capita costs, which are in dollars)

Description and generic code	FY65			FY66			FY67			FY65-FY67		
	Cost	Percent of total cost	Annual per capita cost	Cost	Percent of total cost	Annual per capita cost	Cost	Percent of total cost	Annual per capita cost	Cost	Percent of total cost	Annual per capita cost
US military assistance materiel	17,430.2	81.7	174.5	20,329.9	82.6	165.3	23,034.5	89.5	159.3	60,794.6	84.8	166.7
Combat vehicles (D00)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Miscellaneous boats and craft (C00)	101.8	0.5	1.0	0	0	0	64.7	0.3	0.4	166.5	0.2	0.5
Tactical support vehicles (F00)	1,723.2	9.9	17.7	1,508.6	6.1	12.3	2,658.2	10.3	18.4	5,890.0	8.2	16.2
Weapons (F00)	3,036.6	14.2	31.3	538.2	2.2	4.4	2,642.3	10.2	18.3	6,217.1	8.7	17.0
Ammunition (G00)	9,106.6	42.6	93.8	15,726.3	63.9	127.8	14,025.7	54.5	97.0	38,858.6	54.2	106.5
Communications equipment (H00)	1,366.7	6.4	14.1	16.2	0.1	0.1	840.3	3.3	5.8	2,223.2	3.1	6.1
Other support equipment (J00)	14.5	0.1	0.1	156.7	0.6	1.3	137.7	0.5	1.0	308.9	0.4	0.8
Supplies (K00)	75.6	0.4	0.8	45.1	0.2	0.4	15.6	0.1	0.1	136.3	0.2	0.4
Subtotal	1,425.0	72.3	158.8	17,991.1	73.1	146.3	20,384.5	79.2	141.0	53,800.6	75.6	147.5
Supply operations (L32)	2,005.2	9.4	20.7	2,338.8	9.5	19.0	2,650.0	10.3	18.3	6,994.0	9.8	19.2
RVN defense budget	3,960.4	18.5	40.8	4,270.3	17.4	34.7	2,695.5	10.5	18.6	10,926.2	15.3	30.0
RVN	3,908.0	18.3	40.3	2,630.7	10.7	21.4	1,105.7	4.3	7.6	7,644.4	10.7	21.0
US support	52.4	0.2	0.5	1,639.6	6.7	13.3	1,589.8	6.2	11.0	3,281.8	4.6	9.0
Total	21,390.6	100.0	220.3	24,600.2	100.0	200.0	25,730.0	100.0	177.9	71,720.8	100.0	196.7
RVN	3,908.0	18.3	40.3	2,630.7	10.7	21.4	1,105.7	4.3	7.6	7,644.4	10.7	21.0
US support	17,482.6	81.7	180.0	21,969.5	89.3	178.6	24,624.3	95.7	170.3	64,076.4	89.3	175.7

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(C) TABLE D6  
Estimated Total Cost of Material and Maintenance for RVN Popular Forces, FY65-FY67  
(In thousands of dollars except per capita costs, which are in dollars)

Description and generic code	FY65			FY66			FY67			FY65-FY67		
	Cost	Percent of total cost	Annual per capita cost	Cost	Percent of total cost	Annual per capita cost	Cost	Percent of total cost	Annual per capita cost	Cost	Percent of total cost	Annual per capita cost
US military assistance materiel	7,913.7	38.4	51.2	13,677.3	70.4	100.8	14,762.0	86.4	192.7	36,355.0	72.6	83.7
Combat vehicles (D00)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Miscellaneous boats and craft (C00)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tactical and support vehicles (F00)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Weapons (F00)	3,046.0	22.5	19.7	2,661.3	13.8	19.6	4,133.3	24.2	28.7	9,840.6	19.6	22.7
Ammunition (G00)	3,673.3	27.1	23.7	8,043.1	41.3	59.3	5,616.3	32.9	39.1	17,332.7	34.6	39.9
Communications equipment (H00)	168.0	1.2	1.1	0	0	0	13.2	0.1	0.1	181.2	0.4	0.4
Other support equipment (J00)	30.0	0.2	0.2	168.9	0.9	1.2	53.6	0.3	0.4	252.5	0.5	0.6
Supplies (K00)	86.0	0.6	0.6	1,230.5	6.3	9.1	3,247.3	19.0	22.6	4,563.8	9.1	10.5
Subtotal	7,003.3	51.7	45.3	12,103.8	62.3	89.2	13,063.7	76.5	90.9	32,170.8	64.2	74.1
Supply operations (L3C)	910.4	6.7	5.9	1,573.5	8.1	11.6	1,698.3	9.9	11.8	4,182.2	8.4	9.6
RVN defense budget	5,646.4	41.6	36.5	5,777.2	29.7	42.6	2,312.9	13.6	16.1	13,736.5	27.4	31.6
RVN	4,529.8	33.4	29.3	3,183.4	16.4	23.5	835.7	4.9	5.8	8,548.9	17.1	19.7
US support	1,116.6	8.2	7.2	2,593.8	13.3	19.1	1,477.2	8.7	10.3	5,187.6	10.3	11.9
Total	13,560.1	100.0	87.7	19,454.5	100.0	143.4	17,074.9	100.0	118.7	50,089.5	100.0	115.4
RVN	4,529.8	33.4	29.3	3,183.4	16.4	23.5	835.7	4.9	5.8	8,548.9	17.1	19.7
US support	9,030.3	66.6	58.4	16,271.1	83.6	119.9	16,239.2	95.1	112.9	41,540.6	82.9	95.7

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### Materiel, Less Ammunition

(U) Tables D7 and D8 show the estimated total US military assistance expenditures for materiel and maintenance for the period FY65-FY67 for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces respectively.

(U) No data are available to relate deliveries of US military assistance materiel to inventories in the hands of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces for the same reasons given in App C for the RVN Army. Table D9 shows the available data on inventories of weapons in the Regional Forces and Popular Forces units. Depot stocks for the RVNAF are shown in App C. Apparently in FY65 the strength of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces increased faster than the inventories of individual weapons in units.

(U) Tables D10 and D11 show the available data on inventories of selected vehicles and signal items respectively in Regional Forces and Popular Forces units.

### Ammunition

(U) Almost all ammunition for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces since about 1961 was furnished by the US. Tables D12 to D19 show the annual and cumulative deliveries for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces for the period FY65-FY67. The method used to determine these ammunition allocations is described in App B. The data in Tables D12 to D19 do not include the 13 percent supply operations (see App B).

(U) Tables D20 and D21 show per capita factors on the cost and amounts of ammunition for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces respectively. The cost factors do not include the cost of supply operations (13 percent).

### RVN Expenditures for Materiel

(U) The only available data on RVN expenditures for materiel are contained in the RVN defense budgets. Table D22 shows the data derived from those budgets that pertain to the Regional Forces and Popular Forces respectively. It is believed that the data include expenditures for materiel required primarily for maintenance.

### Construction and Maintenance of Facilities

(U) Table D23 shows the total estimated expenditures for construction and maintenance of facilities for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces to include sources, average annual per capita costs, and percentage by major category. No funds were actually expended on construction in CY64 and CY65. The Regional Forces maintenance expenditure data are estimates based on CY65 budget data. The budget data for subsequent years do not permit identifying expenditures for maintenance of facilities for the Regional Forces. There are no known credible data on maintenance expenditures for the Popular Forces.

(U) Tables D24 and D25 show support by US military assistance and RVN defense budget respectively of construction expenditures for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces. The data in these tables are based on information furnished by HQ US Army, Vietnam, Engineer Advisory Division, which is considered to be the most authoritative on construction in support of RVN forces.

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(C) TABLE D7  
Estimated Expenditures for US Military Assistance Material for RVN Regional Forces,  
less Ammunition, FY65-FY67  
(In thousands of dollars)

Description and generic code	FY65			1 Jul 65-25 Mar 66			26 Mar 66-30 Jun 67			FY65-FY67		
	Number <sup>a</sup>	Cost	Percent of total cost	Number	Cost	Percent of total cost	Number	Cost	Percent of total cost	Number	Cost	Percent of total cost
Miscellaneous boats and and craft (C5Z)	—	101.8	1.6	—	—	—	166	64.7	1.0	—	166.5	1.1
Tactical and support vehicles (F00)	—	1723.2	27.3	1,111	1508.6	66.6	364	2658.2	41.8	—	5,890.0	39.4
Truck, 1/2-ton, M606 (F3A)	—	—	—	109	196.4	8.7	90	168.7	2.5	—	365.1	2.4
Truck, 1-ton (F3C)	—	1501.4	23.8	—	—	—	61	190.0	3.0	—	1,691.4	11.3
Truck, 2 1/2-ton, ABT (E3K, L, M, N)	—	167.9	2.7	210	1296.2	57.2	213	2299.5	36.2	—	3,763.6	25.2
Bicycle	—	53.9	0.8	792	16.0	0.7	—	—	—	—	69.9	0.5
Weapons (F00)	—	3036.6	48.0	16,765	538.2	23.8	58,439	2642.3	41.6	—	6,217.1	41.6
Pistol, .45-cal (F1A)	—	128.5	2.0	100	2.7	0.1	1,657	48.2	0.8	—	179.4	1.2
Carbine, .30-cal (F1B)	—	1131.4	17.9	2,712	204.6	9.0	30,392	1422.9	22.4	—	2,758.9	18.4
Rifle, M1 (F1C)	—	468.9	7.4	32	1.1	0.1	9,895	411.4	6.5	—	381.4	5.9
Bayonets (F1D)	—	71.0	1.1	12,672	22.3	1.0	12,672	22.3	0.4	—	115.6	0.8
Machinegun, .30-cal (F1F)	—	539.3	8.4	96	13.5	0.6	446	62.2	1.0	—	606.0	4.1
Grenade launchers (F1L)	—	8.2	0.1	1,150	276.3	12.2	3,221	654.2	10.3	—	938.7	6.3
Mortars, 60-mm (F1N)	—	698.3	11.1	3	0.4	0	156	10.6	0.1	—	709.3	4.7
Fire-control instruments (F1D)	—	—	—	—	17.3	0.8	—	10.5	0.1	—	27.8	0.2
Other equipment	—	1456.8	23.1	—	218.0	9.6	—	993.6	15.6	—	2,668.4	17.9
Communications equipment (H00)	—	1366.7	21.7	—	16.2	0.7	—	840.3	13.2	—	2,223.2	14.9
Telephone and telegraph equipment (H1)	—	1097.5	17.4	—	—	—	—	12.0	0.2	—	1,109.5	7.5
Radio equipment (H2)	—	49.9	0.8	—	8.6	0.4	—	814.8	12.8	—	873.3	5.8
Other communications equipment (H6)	—	219.3	3.5	—	7.6	0.3	—	13.5	0.2	—	240.4	1.6
Other support equipment (I00)	—	14.5	0.2	—	156.7	6.9	—	137.7	2.2	—	308.9	2.1
Supplies (K00)	—	75.6	1.2	—	45.1	2.0	—	15.6	0.2	—	136.3	0.9
Medical supplies (K2)	—	13.7	0.2	—	10.3	0.5	—	3.1	0	—	27.1	0.2
General supplies (K4)	—	1.9	0.1	—	21.8	0.9	—	12.5	0.2	—	46.2	0.3
Other industrial supplies (K5)	—	60.0	0.9	—	13.0	0.6	—	—	—	—	73.0	0.4
Total	—	6318.4	100.0	—	2264.8	100.0	—	6358.8	100.0	—	14,942.0	100.0

<sup>a</sup>Data not available.

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(C) TABLE D8  
Estimated Expenditures for US Military Assistance Materiel for RVN Popular Forces,  
less Ammunition, FY65-FY67  
(in thousands of dollars)

Description and generic code	FY65			Jul 65-25 Mar 66			26 Mar 66-30 Jun 67			FY65-FY67		
	Number	Cost	Percent of total cost	Number	Cost	Percent of total cost	Number	Cost	Percent of total cost	Number	Cost	Percent of total cost
Weapons (F00)	—	3046.0	91.5	—	2601.3	65.5	—	4133.3	55.5	—	9,840.6	66.3
Pistols (F1A)	—	126.0	3.8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	126.0	0.8
Carbines (F1B)	—	2084.0	80.6	27,510	1155.4	28.5	14,930	2007.2	27.0	—	5,816.6	39.4
Rifles, M1 (F1C)	—	220.0	6.6	39,198	1371.9	33.8	4,069	571.9	7.7	—	2,163.8	14.6
Rifles, BAR (F1C)	—	—	—	1,033	104.3	2.5	41,566	1524.4	20.5	—	1,628.7	11.0
Grenade launchers (F1C)	—	16.0	0.5	6,507	23.4	0.6	6,515	23.5	0.3	—	62.9	0.4
Other weapons (F1D)	—	—	—	3,610	6.3	0.1	3,610	6.3	0	—	12.6	0.1
Other equipment	—	281.0	8.5	—	1399.4	34.5	—	3311.1	44.5	—	1,997.5	33.7
Communications equipment (H00)	—	248.0	7.4	—	—	—	—	13.2	0.2	—	261.2	1.8
Telephone and telegraph equipment (H1)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15.2	0.2	—	13.2	0.1
Radio equipment (H2)	—	168.0	5.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	168.0	1.2
Other communications equipment (H6)	—	80.0	2.4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	80.0	0.5
Other support equipment (J00)	—	—	—	—	168.9	4.2	—	53.6	0.7	—	222.5	1.5
Supplies (K00)	—	36.0	1.0	—	1230.5	30.3	—	3247.3	43.6	—	4,513.8	30.4
Clothing and textiles (K1)	—	—	—	—	1029.0	25.3	—	2877.8	38.6	—	3,906.8	26.3
General (K1)	—	36.0	1.0	—	201.5	5.0	—	369.5	5.0	—	607.0	4.1
Total	—	3330.0	100.0	—	4060.7	100.0	—	7147.4	100.0	—	14,838.1	100.0

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TABLE D9  
Regional Forces and Popular Forces Weapons Inventory<sup>a</sup>  
on Various Dates, 1964-1967

Weapon	30 June 1964 <sup>3c</sup>		30 June 1965 <sup>4c</sup>		30 June 1967 <sup>4c</sup>	
	Number	Density per 1000 assigned strength	Number	Density per 1000 assigned strength	Number	Density per 1000 assigned strength
<b>Regional Forces</b>						
Small arms	83,488	990.4	89,572	831.7	148,923	1053.9
Pistols	4,168	49.4	5,328	49.5	12,393	87.7
Carbines	44,267	525.1	49,276	457.5	81,426	597.5
Rifles	18,093 <sup>b</sup>	214.6	17,203 <sup>c</sup>	159.7	35,586	251.8
Shotguns	379	4.5	209	1.9	232	1.6
Submachineguns	9,109	108.1	10,056	93.4	6,995	49.5
Automatic rifles	7,472	88.6	7,500	69.6	9,291	65.8
Launchers, grenades	4,305	51.1	4,599	42.7	8,223	58.2
Launchers, M79	—	—	20	0.2	1,861	13.2
Machineguns	2,053	24.4	2,213	20.5	3,680	26.0
.30 cal	2,053	24.4	2,198	20.4	3,477	24.6
.50 cal	—	—	15	0.1	203	1.4
Mortars	1,095	13.0	1,594	14.8	1,864	13.2
60 mm	1,091	12.9	1,567	14.5	1,689	12.0
81 mm	4	—	27	0.3	175	1.2
<b>Popular Forces</b>						
Small arms	115,683	1155.7	108,795	730.2	149,358	1057.0
Pistols	4,949	49.4	9,814	65.9	1,556	11.0
Carbines	59,490	594.3	64,328	431.7	96,254	681.2
Rifles	22,322 <sup>d</sup>	223.0	6,951 <sup>c</sup>	46.6	34,797	246.3
Shotguns	17,018	170.0	16,104	108.1	3,355	23.7
Submachineguns	8,993	89.8	8,697	58.4	3,829	27.1
Automatic rifles	2,911	29.1	2,901	19.5	9,567	67.7
Launchers, grenade	3,275	32.7	4,609	30.9	9,350	66.2
Mortars	—	—	—	—	3	—
60 mm	—	—	—	—	2	—
81 mm	—	—	—	—	1	—

<sup>a</sup>Includes only items in units.<sup>b</sup>About 25 percent obsolete French models.<sup>c</sup>About 98 percent US .30-cal M1's.<sup>d</sup>About 80 percent obsolete French models.

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TABLE D10  
Regional Forces and Popular Forces Vehicle Inventory<sup>a</sup>  
on Various Dates, 1964-1967

Vehicle	30 Jun 64 <sup>30</sup>		30 Jun 65 <sup>40</sup>		30 Jun 66 <sup>41</sup>		30 Jun 67 <sup>42</sup>	
	Number	Density per 1000 assigned strength	Number	Density per 1000 assigned strength	Number	Density per 1000 assigned strength	Number	Density per 1000 assigned strength
<b>Regional Forces</b>								
Combat vehicles, total	249	3.0	227	2.1	266	1.9	307	2.2
Scout car, Ford Lynx	90	1.1	62	0.6	52	0.4	37	0.3
Truck, armored, GM15	159	1.9	165	1.5	207	1.5	195	1.4
Light tank, M24	—	—	—	—	7	0	52	0.4
Cadillac, gage V-100	—	—	—	—	—	—	23	0.2
Noncombat vehicles, total	2397	28.4	2647	24.6	3659	25.9	3857	27.3
Truck, ¼-ton	823	9.8	985	9.1	1360	9.6	1560	11.0
Truck, ¾-ton amb.	88	1.0	84	0.8	87	0.6	77	0.5
Truck, ¾-ton	718	8.5	754	7.0	925	6.5	828	5.9
Truck, 1- to 1½-ton	—	—	—	—	179	1.3	490	3.5
Truck, cargo, 2- to 3½-ton	767	9.1	820	7.6	1080	7.6	879	6.2
Truck, cargo, 4- to 10-ton	—	—	—	—	7	0	2	0
Sedans	1	0	4	0	21	0.1	21	0.1
Trailers, total	860	10.2	785	7.3	804	5.7	810	5.7
Trailer, ¼-ton	372	4.4	342	3.2	355	2.5	349	2.5
Trailer, 1- to 1½-ton	368	4.4	337	3.0	332	2.3	346	2.4
Trailer, water, 1-ton	120	1.4	116	1.1	117	0.8	115	0.8
<b>Popular Forces</b>								
Noncombat vehicles, total	47	0.5	82	0.6	88	0.6	122	0.9
Truck, ¼-ton	4	0	17	0.1	14	0.1	37	0.3
Truck, ¾-ton	42	0.4	64	0.4	67	0.5	55	0.4
Truck, 1-ton	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	0
Truck, 2- to 3½-ton	1	0	1	0	7	0.1	27	0.2
Trailers, total	4	0	6	0	9	0.1	16	0.1
Trailer, ¼-ton	2	0	4	0	5	0	8	0.1
Trailer, 1- to 1½-ton	—	—	—	—	3	0	3	0
Trailer, water, 1-ton	2	0	2	0	1	0	5	0

<sup>a</sup>Exclusive of depot stocks.

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(C) TABLE D11  
Regional Forces and Popular Forces Inventory  
of Selected Signal Items,  
30 June 1966 and 30 June 1967<sup>27, 43</sup>

Item	Number, 30 Jun 66	Number, 30 Jun 67
Regional Forces		
AN GRC 87	693	0
AN PRC 6	2043	964
AN PRC 10	7062	10,526
AN PRC 25	0	82
AN VRC 34	135	215
AN TCC 3	42	0
AN TCC 14	4	2
EE 8 telephone	1317	733
SB 22 GT	135	132
SB 992 GT	763	995
TA 1 telephone	5131	7,528
TA 43 PT	2046	1,972
CE 11	176	956
Popular Forces		
AN GRC 87	0	1,322
AN PRC 10	4753	3,697
AN VRC 34	79	0
TA 1 telephone	1402	348
TA 43 PT	46	0
CE 11	2034	1,406

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TABLE D12  
US Army Ammunition Deliveries for RVN Regional Forces, FY65  
(Quantities and dollars in thousands)

Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution		Total	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G10	AMMUNITION UP TO 75 MM & GRENADES	--	4242.3	--	4733.8	--	--	--	8976.1
GLA	22 Caliber	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
GLB	5.56 Caliber	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G1B	30 Caliber	36490.8	2676.1	3120.6	376.2	--	--	39611.4	3052.3
G1E	30 Caliber Carb	--	--	24103.3	1063.7	--	--	24103.3	1063.7
G1D	38 Caliber	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G1E	45 Caliber	7368.4	442.1	--	--	--	--	7368.4	442.1
G1F	50 Caliber	--	--	5.5	1.7	--	--	5.5	1.7
G1K	40 MM	5.2	34.4	--	--	--	--	5.2	34.4
G1L	57 MM	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G1M	60 MM Mortar	75.0	707.9	506.5	2654.2	--	--	581.5	3362.1
G1N	Shotgun	74.0	8.1	31.8	3.5	--	--	105.8	11.6
G1P	Grenades Hand	63.7	95.2	387.4	542.1	--	--	451.3	637.3
G1P	Grenades Other	82.5	278.5	72.7	92.4	--	--	155.2	370.9
G20	AMMUNITION 75 MM AND OTHER	2.6	48.9	.1	1.0	--	--	2.7	49.9
G30	LAND MINES AND EXPLOSIVES	253.9	56.4	37.5	24.2	--	--	291.4	80.6
	TOTALS		1347.6		4759.6				9106.6

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TABLE D13  
US Army Ammunition Deliveries for RVN Regional Forces, FY66  
(Quantities and dollars in thousands)

Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution		Total	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G10	AMMUNITION UP TO 75 MM & GRENADES	--	12107.3	--	1,900.7	--	286.3	--	14296.3
G1A	22 Caliber	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G1A	5.56 Caliber	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G1B	30 Caliber	60434.8	4894.0	34507.5	561.0	--	--	103942.3	5455.0
G1E	30 Caliber Carb	12975.9	519.0	24907.1	1061.2	--	--	37887.0	1580.2
G1D	38 Caliber	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G1E	45 Caliber	13863.3	819.0	--	--	--	--	13863.3	819.0
G1F	50 Caliber	--	--	422.8	131.1	--	--	422.8	131.1
G1K	40 MM	192.0	1092.8	--	--	--	--	192.0	1092.8
G1L	57 MM	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G1M	60 MM Mortar	704.8	4130.3	11.3	51.8	84.2	281.8	800.3	4463.9
G1N	Shotgun	--	--	137.2	15.1	--	--	137.2	15.1
G1P	Grenades Hand	57.8	136.3	--	--	--	--	57.8	136.3
G1P	Grenades Other	329.2	555.9	26.3	82.5	.8	4.5	356.3	642.9
G20	AMMUNITION 75 MM AND OTHER	99.2	1061.5	.8	6.3	4.8	120.9	104.8	1188.7
G30	LAND MINES AND EXPLOSIVES	265.1	125.9	144.2	115.4	--	--	409.3	241.3
	TOTALS		13294.7		2024.4		407.2		15726.3

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(C) TABLE D14  
US Army Ammunition Deliveries for RVN Regional Forces, FY67  
(Quantities and dollars in thousands)

Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution		Total	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G10	AMMUNITION UP TO 75 MM & GRENADES	--	10173.0	--	347.9	--	2296.4	--	12820.3
G1A	22 Caliber	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G1B	5.56 Caliber	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G1C	30 Caliber	57895.4	4757.0	173.4	19.6	12156.9	1025.7	70225.7	5802.3
G1D	30 Caliber Carb	26158.0	1262.5	325.8	19.5	--	--	26483.8	1282.1
G1E	38 Caliber	--	--	28.5	1.7	--	--	28.5	1.7
G1F	45 Caliber	6795.5	349.7	--	--	--	--	6795.5	349.7
G1G	50 Caliber	75.6	30.3	908.8	281.7	--	--	984.4	312.0
G1H	40 MM	236.2	1009.5	--	--	--	--	236.2	1009.5
G1I	57 MM	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G1J	60 MM Mortar	86.3	1101.9	28.7	2.3	161.6	1250.1	276.6	2354.3
G1K	Shotgun	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G1L	Grenades Hand	468.2	1101.8	--	--	11.0	18.8	479.2	1120.6
G1M	Grenades Other	219.3	560.2	33.1	23.0	6.2	4.8	258.6	588.1
G20	AMMUNITION 75 MM AND OTHER	30.2	479.5	1.4	10.6	2.6	30.5	34.2	520.6
G30	LAND MINES AND EXPLOSIVES	285.9	677.6	7.3	7.2	--	--	293.2	684.8
	TOTALS		11330.1		365.7		2329.9		14025.7

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TABLE D15  
US Army Ammunition Deliveries for RVN Regional Forces, FY65-FY67  
(Quantities and dollars in thousands)

Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution		Totals	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G10	AMMUNITION UP TO 75 MM & GRENADES		26522.6		6984.4		2585.7		36092.7
G1A	22 Caliber								
G1A	5.56 Caliber								
G1B	30 Caliber		12327.1		956.8		1025.7		14309.6
G1C	30 Caliber Carb		1781.5		2144.5		--		3926.0
G1D	38 Caliber				1.7		--		1.7
G1E	45 Caliber		1610.8		--		--		1610.8
G1F	50 Caliber		30.3		414.5		--		444.8
G1K	40 M1		2096.7		--		--		2096.7
G1L	57 MM								
G1M	60 MM Mortar		5940.1		2708.3		1531.9		10180.3
G1N	Shotgun		8.1		18.6		--		26.7
G1P	Grenades Hand		1333.3		542.1		18.8		1894.2
G1P	Grenades Other		1394.7		197.9		9.3		1601.9
G20	AMMUNITION 75 MM AND OTHER		1589.9		17.9		151.4		1759.2
G30	LAND MINES AND EXPLOSIVES		859.9		146.8		--		1006.7
	TOTALS		28772.4		7149.1		2737.1		38858.6

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(C) TABLE D16  
US Army Ammunition Deliveries for RVN Popular Forces, FY65  
(Quantities and dollars in thousands)

Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution		Total	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G10	AMMUNITION UP TO 75 MM & GRENADES	--	1594.0	--	2025.6	--	--	--	3619.6
G1B	30 Caliber	10473.6	743.5	1234.8	148.9	--	--	11708.4	892.4
G1B	30 Caliber Carb	--	--	31519.7	1391.0	--	--	31519.7	1391.0
G1E	45 Caliber	8780.9	526.9	--	--	--	--	8780.9	526.9
G1N	Shotgun	677.1	74.4	291.0	32.0	--	--	968.1	106.4
G1P	Grenades Hand	42.6	63.5	258.2	361.4	--	--	300.8	424.9
G1P	Grenades Other	55.1	185.7	72.6	92.3	--	--	127.7	278.0
G30	LAND MINES AND EXPLOSIVES	169.3	37.5	25.0	16.2	--	--	194.3	53.7
	TOTALS		1631.5		2041.8				3673.3

(C) TABLE D17  
US Army Ammunition Deliveries for RVN Popular Forces, FY66  
(Quantities and dollars in thousands)

Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution		Total	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G10	AMMUNITION UP TO 75 MM & GRENADES	--	6069.1	--	1808.0	--	5.1	--	7882.2
G1B	30 Caliber	69868.0	4936.4	3909.4	483.8	--	--	73777.4	5420.2
G1B	30 Caliber Carb	14769.8	590.8	28350.5	1207.9	--	--	43120.3	1798.7
G1E	45 Caliber	327.5	19.3	--	--	--	--	327.5	19.3
G1N	Shotgun	--	--	205.8	22.6	--	--	205.8	22.6
G1P	Grenades Hand	38.5	90.8	--	--	--	--	38.5	90.8
G1P	Grenades Other	275.1	431.8	29.9	93.7	.9	5.1	305.9	530.6
G30	LAND MINES AND EXPLOSIVES	176.7	83.9	96.2	77.0	--	--	272.9	160.9
	TOTALS		6153.0		1885.0		5.1		8043.1

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TABLE D18  
US Army Ammunition Deliveries for RVN Popular Forces, FY67  
(Quantities and dollars in thousands)

Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution		Total	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G10	AMMUNITION UP TO 75 MM & GRENADES	--	4905.9	--	62.5	--	191.2	--	5159.2
G1B	30 Caliber	28580.9	2313.6	99.6	14.0	2012.5	173.2	30693.0	2500.8
G1B	30 Caliber Carb	29774.3	1437.1	370.8	22.3	--	--	30145.1	1459.4
G1E	45 Caliber	160.5	8.3	--	--	--	--	160.5	8.3
G1N	Shotgun	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
G1P	Grenades Hand	312.1	734.6	--	--	7.4	12.5	319.5	747.1
G1P	Grenades Other	175.6	412.3	37.6	26.2	7.0	5.5	220.2	444.0
G30	LAND MINES AND EXPLOSIVES	190.7	451.8	4.8	4.9	--	--	195.5	456.7
	TOTALS		5357.7		67.4		191.2		5616.3

TABLE D19  
US Army Ammunition Deliveries for RVN Popular Forces, FY65-FY67  
(Quantities and dollars in thousands)

Generic code	Nomenclature	Reimbursable		Excess		Redistribution		Totals	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
G10	AMMUNITION UP TO 75 MM & GRENADES		12569.0		3896.1		196.3		16661.4
G1B	30 Caliber		7993.5		646.7		173.2		8613.4
G1B	30 Caliber Carb		2027.9		2621.2		--		4649.1
G1E	45 Caliber		534.5		--		--		534.5
G1N	Shotgun		74.4		54.6		--		129.0
G1P	Grenades Hand		888.9		361.4		12.5		1266.8
G1P	Grenades Other		1029.8		212.2		10.6		1252.6
G30	LAND MINES AND EXPLOSIVES		573.2		98.1		--		671.3
	TOTALS		13142.2		3994.2		196.3		17332.7

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(C) TABLE D20  
Factors Based on Total Ammunition Deliveries for the RVN  
Regional Forces, FY65-FY67

Item	FY65			FY66			FY67			FY65-FY67		
	Number per capita	Cost per capita	Percent of total	Number per capita	Cost per capita	Percent of total	Number per capita	Cost per capita	Percent of total	Number per capita	Cost per capita	Percent of total
Small arms, total	732	47	50.0	1269	65	51.0	723	54	55.0	910	55	52.0
.30-cal	408	31	34.0	845	44	35.0	486	40	41.0	586	39	37.0
.30-cal carbines	248	11	12.0	308	13	10.0	183	9	9.0	243	11	10.0
.45-cal	76	5	4.0	113	7	5.0	47	3	3.0	77	4	4.0
.50-cal	—	—	—	3	1	1.0	7	2	2.0	4	1	1.0
Grenades	6	10	11.0	4	6	4.0	5	12	12.0	5	10	9.0
Mortars, 60-mm	6	35	37.0	7	36	28.0	2	16	17.0	5	28	26.0
40-mm	—	—	—	2	9	7.0	2	7	7.0	1	6	5.0
Other	1	0	0	—	—	0	—	—	—	1	0	0
Shotguns	0	1	1.0	1	10	8.0	0	3	4.0	0	5	5.0
75-mm and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land mines and explosives	3	1	1.0	3	2	2.0	2	5	5.0	3	3	3.0
Total	—	94	100.0	—	128	100.0	—	97	100.0	—	107	100.0

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(C) TABLE D21  
Factors Based on Total Munition Deliveries for the RVN  
Popular Forces, FY65-FY67

Item	FY65			FY66			FY67			FY65-FY67		
	Number per capita	Cost per capita	Percent of total	Number per capita	Cost per capita	Percent of total	Number per capita	Cost per capita	Percent of total	Number per capita	Cost per capita	Percent of total
Small arms, total	337	18	76.0	864	53	90.0	421	28	71.0	330	32	80.0
.30-cal	76	6	24.0	544	40	68.0	213	18	45.0	268	26	50.0
.30-cal carbines	294	9	38.0	318	13	22.0	210	10	26.0	241	11	27.0
.45-cal	57	3	14.0	2	0	0	1	0	0	21	1	3.0
Grenades	3	5	19.0	2	5	8.0	4	8	21.0	3	6	15.0
Other												
Shotguns	6	1	3.0	2	0	0	—	—	—	3	0	1.0
Land mines and explosives	1	0	1.0	2	1	2.0	1	3	8.0	2	2	4.0
Total	—	24	100.0	—	59	100.0	—	39	100.0	—	40	100.0

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(C) TABLE D22  
Estimated Materiel and Maintenance Cost for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces  
Funded by the RVN Defense Budget, FY65-FY67<sup>a</sup>

(In thousands of dollars except per capita costs, which are in dollars)

Item	FY65			FY66			FY67		
	Total cost	US support	RVN funds	Total cost	US support	RVN funds	Total cost	US support	RVN funds
Regional Forces, total	3960.4 <sup>b</sup>	52.4	3908.0 <sup>b</sup>	4270.3	1639.6	2630.7	2693.5	1389.8	1103.7
Transportation	276.4	—	276.4	318.0	—	318.0	66.4	—	66.4
Ordnance	321.7	52.4	269.3	334.1	52.4	281.7	12.5	—	12.5
Signal	18.5	—	18.5	18.5	—	18.5	8.8	2.6	6.2
Engineer	—	—	—	261.6	184.1	77.5	261.6	184.1	77.5
Quartermaster	1313.9	—	1313.9	3097.6	1403.1	1694.5	2042.2	1403.1	639.1
Medical	67.9	—	67.9	210.5	—	240.5	304.0	—	304.0
Annual per capita cost <sup>c</sup>	41.0	1.0	40.0	35.0	13.0	22.0	19.0	11.0	8.0
Popular Forces, total	5646.4 <sup>b</sup>	1116.6	4529.8 <sup>b</sup>	5777.2	2593.8	3183.4	2312.9	1477.2	835.7
Transportation	132.0	—	132.0	173.6	—	173.6	66.4	—	66.4
Ordnance	70.5	—	70.5	83.0	—	83.0	12.6	—	12.6
Signal	10.0	—	10.0	10.0	—	10.0	—	—	—
Engineer	—	—	—	104.6	73.6	31.0	104.6	73.6	31.0
Quartermaster	3443.5	1116.6	2326.9	5325.8	2520.2	2805.6	1882.4	1403.6	478.8
Medical	0.4	—	0.4	80.2	—	80.2	246.9	—	246.9
Annual per capita cost <sup>b</sup>	36.0	7.0	29.0	43.0	19.0	24.0	16.0	10.0	6.0

<sup>a</sup>Based on Tables D35 and D36.

<sup>b</sup>Subtotals cover only second half of FY65.

<sup>c</sup>Based on assigned strength and shown in absolute dollars.

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(C) TABLE D23  
Estimated Total Cost of Construction and Maintenance of Facilities for the Regional Forces  
and Popular Forces, FY65-FY67

(In thousands of dollars except per capita costs, which are in dollars)

Item	FY65			FY66			FY67			FY65-FY67		
	Total cost	US funds	RVN funds	Total cost	US funds	RVN funds	Total cost	US funds	RVN funds	Total cost	US funds	RVN funds
Regional Forces, total	318.5	—	318.5	4547.2	4222.9	324.3	6725.2	6338.3	386.9	11,390.9	10,361.2	1029.7
Construction, total	—	—	—	4228.7	4222.9	5.8	6406.7	6338.3	68.4	10,635.4	10,361.2	274.2
Campgrounds and facilities	—	—	—	4055.0	4055.0	0	6010.4	5992.7	17.7	10,095.4	10,047.7	47.7
Headquarters	—	—	—	11.7	5.9	5.8	11.3	20.6	20.7	53.0	26.5	26.5
Training centers	—	—	—	162.0	162.0	0	325.0	325.0	0	487.0	487.0	0
Maintenance <sup>a</sup>	318.5	—	318.5	318.5	0	318.5	318.5	0	318.5	955.5	0	955.5
Total, less training centers	318.5	—	318.5	4385.2	4060.9	324.3	6400.2	6013.3	386.9	11,103.9	10,074.2	1029.7
Per capita cost, less training centers <sup>b</sup>	3.0	—	3.0	36.0	33.0	3.0	44.0	42.0	2.0	30.0	28.0	2.0
US funded, less training centers	—	—	—	4060.9	—	—	6013.3	—	—	—	—	—
Military assistance	—	—	—	4055.0	—	—	5945.0	—	—	—	—	—
RVN budget support	—	—	—	5.9	—	—	68.3	—	—	—	—	—
RVN support	318.5	—	—	5.8	—	—	386.9	—	—	—	—	—
Popular Forces, total <sup>c</sup>	0	—	—	241.5	198.0 <sup>d</sup>	43.5	156.0	50.0 <sup>d</sup>	106.0	397.5	248.0	149.5

<sup>a</sup>Estimates based on CY65 budget data.

<sup>b</sup>Absolute dollars.

<sup>c</sup>All construction was for training centers.

<sup>d</sup>Funded by US military assistance.



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(C) **TABLE D24**  
**Construction for the Regional Forces**  
**and Popular Forces Funded by**  
**US Military Assistance,**  
**FY66-FY67<sup>17</sup>**  
(In thousands of dollars)

Item	FY66	FY67
Regional Forces, total	4217.0	6270.0
Cantonments and facilities	4055.0	725.0
Cantonments	—	5220.0
Training centers	162.0	325.0
Popular Forces, total	198.0	50.0
Training centers <sup>a</sup>	198.0	50.0

<sup>a</sup>Cost of buildings and materials furnished for self-help construction.

(C) **TABLE D25**  
**Estimated Support by the RVN Defense Budget**  
**of Construction for the Regional Forces**  
**and Popular Forces, CY66-CY67<sup>17</sup>**  
(In thousands of dollars)

Item	CY66	CY67
Regional Forces, total <sup>a</sup>	23.4	250.0
Cantonments	—	190.8
Sector headquarters	23.4	—
Other headquarters	—	59.2
Popular Forces, total <sup>b</sup>	87.0	125.0

<sup>a</sup>Fifty percent funded by US support.

<sup>b</sup>All RVN funded and for training centers.

(C) **TABLE D26**  
**Estimated Support by the RVN Defense Budget of Construction**  
**for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces,**  
**by Funding Source, FY66-FY67**  
(In thousands of dollars)

Item	FY66			FY67		
	Total	US support	RVN funds	Total	US support	RVN funds
Regional Forces, total	11.7	—	—	136.7	68.3	68.4
Cantonments	—	—	—	95.4	47.7	47.7
Sector headquarters	11.7	5.9	5.8	11.7	5.8	5.9
Other headquarters	—	—	—	29.6	14.8	14.8
Popular Forces, total	43.5	0	43.5	106.0	0	106.0
Training centers	43.5	0	43.5	106.0	0	106.0

(U) Table D26 shows the data in Table D25 converted to a fiscal year basis and the extent of US budget support. It is estimated that US support of the RVN construction budget was 50 percent for CY66 and CY67. There was no US support of the RVN construction budget for the Popular Forces during the same period.

#### TRAINING

(U) Table D27 shows the estimated total expenditures for training of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces, including sources, average annual per capita cost, and distribution by major category. The RVN expenditures for training were primarily for expendables and construction of training facilities. The US expenditures were primarily for training equipment, training aids, and construction of training facilities.

(U) The decrease in training equipment and training aids funded by US military assistance probably does not reflect the actual situation. Training equipment and aids were probably made available to the Regional Forces and Popular Forces from RVN Army stocks.

#### PAY AND ALLOWANCES

(U) Table D28 shows the estimated total expenditures for pay and allowances for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces.

(U) During the period several pay raises were given to Regional Forces and Popular Forces personnel. Table D29 shows the average military pay and allowances of Regional Forces and Popular Forces personnel as of 1 July 1967.

(U) The available data on subsistence furnished to Popular Forces personnel through the Catholic Relief Services<sup>46</sup> are shown in Table D30.

#### OTHER COSTS

(U) Table D31 shows the estimated total and annual per capita costs of expenditures for miscellaneous activities of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces not previously described. The data were derived from the RVN defense budgets using the method described in App B.

#### RECAPITULATION AND ANALYSIS

(U) The estimated total direct cost of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces are shown respectively in Tables D32 and D33.

(U) Table D34 is a summary of the estimated RVN defense budgets for the Regional Forces and Popular Forces. The data in this table include the costs of training installations among the costs of "Training" and the costs of construction based on Ref 17. Tables D35 and D36 show the budgets for the

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(C) TABLE D27  
Estimated Total Cost of Training of Regional Forces and Popular Forces,  
FY65-FY67

(In thousands of dollars except per capita costs, which are in dollars)

Item	FY65			FY66			FY67			FY65-FY67		
	Total cost	Percent of total	Annual per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total	Annual per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total	Annual per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total	Average annual per capita cost
Regional Forces, total	257.3	100.0	2.65	597.9	100.0	4.86	661.9	100.0	4.58	1517.1	100.0	4.16
US military assistance, total	34.6	13.4	0.36	164.8	27.6	1.34	325.0	49.1	2.25	524.4	34.6	1.44
Training-center construction <sup>a</sup>	0	—	—	162.0	—	—	325.0	—	—	487.0	—	—
Equipment and aids 2, 31, 32	34.6	—	—	2.8	—	—	0	—	—	37.4	—	—
RVN defense budget, total <sup>b</sup>	222.7	86.5	2.29	433.1	72.4	3.52	336.9	50.9	2.33	992.7	65.4	2.72
RVN support	91.3	—	—	148.1	—	—	134.7	—	—	374.1	—	—
US support	131.4	—	—	285.0	—	—	202.2	—	—	618.6	—	—
Total US support	166.0	64.5	1.71	449.8	75.2	3.66	527.2	79.6	3.65	1143.0	75.3	3.13
Total RVN support	91.3	35.5	0.94	148.1	24.8	1.20	134.7	20.4	0.93	374.1	24.7	1.03
Popular Forces, total	278.0	100.0	1.80	621.3	100.0	4.58	492.9	100.0	3.43	1392.2	100.0	3.21
US military assistance, total	108.6	39.1	0.70	198.0	31.9	1.46	50.0	10.1	0.35	356.6	25.6	0.82
Training-center construction <sup>a</sup>	0	—	—	198.0	—	—	50.0	—	—	248.0	—	—
Equipment and aids 2, 31, 32	108.6	—	—	0	—	—	0	—	—	108.6	—	—
RVN defense budget, total	169.4	60.9	1.10	423.3	68.1	3.12	442.9	89.9	3.08	1035.6	74.4	2.39
RVN support	133.0	—	—	233.3	—	—	240.7	—	—	607.0	—	—
Training-center construction <sup>c</sup>	0	—	—	43.5	—	—	106.0	—	—	149.5	—	—
Other <sup>b</sup>	133.0	—	—	189.8	—	—	134.7	—	—	457.5	—	—
US support	36.4	—	—	190.0	—	—	202.2	—	—	428.6	—	—
Total US support	145.0	52.2	0.94	388.0	62.4	2.86	252.2	51.2	1.75	785.2	56.4	1.81
Total RVN support	133.0	47.8	0.86	233.3	37.6	1.72	240.7	48.8	1.67	607.0	43.6	1.40

<sup>a</sup>From Table D24.

<sup>b</sup>From Table D34.

<sup>c</sup>No US support (see Table D26).

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(C) TABLE D28  
Estimated Cost of Pay and Allowances for Regional Forces and Popular Forces, FY65-FY67  
(In thousands of dollars except per capita costs, which are in dollars)

Description	FY65					FY66					FY67				
	Total	US support	RVN funds	US support, % of total	Total	US support	RVN funds	US support, % of total	Total	US support	RVN funds	US support, % of total	Total	US support	US support, % of total
<b>Regional Forces</b>															
Pay and allowances	30,316.1	—	30,316.1	0	25,838.6	16,316.0	59,192.6	21.6	92,986.2	35,862.2	57,118.0	38.6	199,164.9	52,208.2	26.2
Pensions and gratuities	890.1	—	890.1	0	2,376.3	—	2,376.3	0	2,368.6	—	2,368.6	0	3,845.3	—	0
Subsistence	1,821.5	—	1,821.5	0	1,922.5	—	1,821.5	0	206.2	—	206.2	0	9,849.2	—	0
Total	36,028.0	—	36,028.0	0	83,016.4	16,316.0	66,690.4	19.7	95,555.0	35,862.2	59,392.8	37.5	211,819.4	52,208.2	24.2
Average annual per capita cost	371.3	—	371.3	0	675.1	112.9	532.2	19.7	662.2	280.0	411.2	37.5	589.1	113.2	24.3
<b>Popular Forces</b>															
Pay and allowances	22,238.9	—	22,238.9	0	11,611.6	—	11,611.6	0	39,829.4	4,315.0	45,144.4	11.5	116,782.9	4,315.0	3.7
Pensions and gratuities	1,600.9	—	1,600.9	0	3,610.1	—	3,610.1	0	2,908.1	—	2,908.1	0	8,119.4	—	0
Subsistence	1,001.7	—	1,001.7	0	2,662.6	—	2,662.6	0	2,866.9	—	2,866.9	0	6,333.6	—	0
Catholic Relief Service	1,068.5	1,068.5	—	100.0	1,069.0	1,069.0	—	100.0	8,611.0	8,611.0	—	100.0	10,768.5	10,768.5	100.0
Total	27,903.0	1,068.5	21,831.5	1.1	52,615.7	1,069.0	59,016.7	2.1	61,215.7	12,946.0	51,269.7	20.2	142,154.4	15,103.5	10.6
Average annual per capita cost	167.5	6.9	160.6	1.1	381.5	8.0	373.5	2.1	446.6	90.0	356.6	20.1	327.5	34.8	10.6

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(C) TABLE D29  
Average Annual Pay and Allowances for  
Regional Forces and Popular Forces  
(In dollar equivalent)

## a. Regional Forces

Grade	Percent married	Average number of children	Average annual total pay	
			Zone A	Zone B
LTC	100.00	6.25	2652	1959
MAJ	80.00	5.26	1762	1654
CPT	94.47	4.88	1576	1507
1LT	84.65	4.45	1343	1366
2LT	64.80	2.19	1073	1060
Aspirant	30.98	1.82	730	709
MSGT I	92.33	4.29	1046	972
MSGT	87.08	4.18	998	927
SGT I	89.33	3.78	927	863
SGT	76.25	2.32	736	700
CPL I	84.96	2.75	794	713
CPL	75.43	1.94	479	456
PVT I	77.21	2.01	464	451
PVT	40.03	0.80	351	335

## b. Popular Forces

Grade	Average annual total pay		Command allowance
	Zone A	Zone B	
Platoon leader	390	360	75
Squad leader	390	360	45
Squad member	390	360	—

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TABLE D30  
Cost of Foodstuffs Provided by Catholic Relief  
Services for Popular Forces,  
FY65-FY67<sup>a</sup>

(In thousands of dollars)

Item	FY65	FY66	FY67	FY65- FY67
Bulgar wheat	303.0	416.0	1367.0	2,586.0
Dry milk	22.2	—	2299.0	2,321.2
Oil	238.6	145.0	1957.0	2,340.6
Beans	4.7	—	—	4.7
Rolled wheat and oats	—	258.0	1827.0	2,085.0
Flour wheat	—	270.0	—	270.0
Corn meal	—	—	1161.0	1,161.0
Total	1068.5	1089.0	8611.0	10,768.5

<sup>a</sup>Based on information furnished by the Catholic Relief Service Office, Saigon <sup>16</sup>; includes cost of transportation to the RVN.

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TABLE D31  
Estimated Other Costs for Regional Forces and  
Popular Forces Funded by RVN  
Defense Budget, FY65-FY67<sup>a</sup>

(In thousands of dollars)

Item	FY65	FY66	FY67
Regional Forces, total	183.5	368.6	383.0
Psychological warfare-civic action	11.1	11.1	—
Central agencies	74.1	133.3	116.5
Regional agencies	31.6	135.4	249.1
Social welfare	—	—	4.8
Legal claims	66.7	88.3	21.6
Annual per capita cost <sup>b</sup>	1.89	1.89	2.65
Popular Forces, total	157.9	332.0	253.2
Psychological warfare-civic action	42.2	42.2	—
Central agencies	45.4	43.4	—
Regional agencies	64.0	123.7	59.7
Social welfare	—	92.8	171.9
Legal claims	8.3	29.9	21.6
Annual per capita cost	1.02	2.45	1.76

<sup>a</sup>All costs are RVN supported.

<sup>b</sup>Based on assigned strength and shown in absolute dollars.

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(C) TABLE D32  
Estimated Cost of Support of the Regional Forces, FY65-FY67  
(In thousands of dollars except per capita costs, which are in dollars)

Category	FY65			FY66			FY67			FY65-FY67		
	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Average per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Average per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Average per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Average annual per capita cost
Material and maintenance, total	21,390.6	36.7	220.3	24,600.2	21.8	200.0	25,730.0	20.0	177.9	71,720.8	23.9	136.7
US support	17,482.5	30.0	180.0	21,969.5	19.4	178.6	24,624.3	19.1	170.3	64,076.4	21.3	175.7
Military assistance	17,430.2	—	179.5	20,329.9	—	165.3	23,034.5	—	159.3	60,794.6	—	166.7
Support of RVN defense budget	52.4	—	0.5	1,639.6	—	13.3	1,589.8	—	11.0	3,281.8	—	9.0
RVN support	2,908.0	6.7	40.3	2,630.7	2.4	21.4	1,105.7	0.9	7.6	7,644.4	2.6	21.0
Construction, total	318.5	0.6	3.0	4,385.2	3.9	36.0	6,400.2	5.0	44.0	11,103.9	3.7	30.4
US support	0	—	—	4,060.9	3.6	33.0	6,013.3	4.7	42.0	10,074.2	3.4	27.6
Military assistance	0	—	—	4,055.0	—	—	5,945.0	—	—	10,000.0	—	—
Support of RVN defense budget	0	—	—	5.9	—	—	58.3	—	—	74.2	—	—
RVN support	318.5	0.6	3.0	324.3	0.3	3.0	386.9	0.3	2.0	1,029.7	0.3	2.8
Training, total	257.3	0.4	2.7	597.9	0.5	4.9	661.9	0.5	4.6	1,517.1	0.5	4.2
US support	166.0	0.3	1.7	449.8	0.4	3.7	527.2	0.4	3.7	1,143.0	0.4	3.1
Military assistance	34.6	—	—	164.8	—	—	325.0	—	—	521.4	—	—
Support of RVN defense budget	131.4	—	—	285.0	—	—	202.2	—	—	618.6	—	—
RVN support	91.3	0.1	0.9	148.1	0.1	1.2	134.7	0.1	0.9	374.1	0.1	1.0
Pay and allowances, total	36,058.0	62.0	371.3	23,036.4	73.5	675.1	95,755.0	74.3	662.2	214,849.4	71.6	589.1
US support of RVN defense budget	0	—	—	16,346.0	14.5	132.9	35,862.2	27.8	248.0	52,208.2	17.4	143.2
RVN support	36,058.0	62.0	371.3	66,690.4	59.0	542.2	59,892.8	46.5	414.2	162,641.2	54.2	445.9
Other (all RVN supported)	183.5	0.3	1.9	368.6	0.3	3.0	383.0	0.2	2.7	935.1	0.3	2.6
Total	58,207.9	100.0	599.5	112,988.3	100.0	718.6	128,930.1	100.0	801.6	300,126.3	100.0	822.9
US support	17,648.6	30.3	181.8	42,826.2	37.9	348.2	67,027.0	52.0	463.5	127,501.8	42.5	349.6
Military assistance	17,464.8	30.0	—	24,549.7	21.7	—	29,304.5	22.7	—	71,319.0	23.8	—
Support of RVN defense budget	183.8	0.3	—	18,276.5	16.2	—	37,722.5	29.3	—	56,182.8	18.7	—
RVN support	40,559.3	69.7	417.7	70,162.1	62.1	570.4	61,903.1	48.0	428.1	172,624.5	57.5	473.3

<sup>a</sup>Includes maintenance of facilities and excludes training facilities.

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(C) TABLE D33  
Estimated Cost of Support of the Popular Forces, FY65-FY67  
(In thousands of dollars except per capita costs, which are in dollars)

Category	FY65			FY66			FY67			FY65-FY67		
	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Average per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Average per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Average per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Average annual per capita cost
Material and maintenance, total	13,560.1	34.0	87.7	19,454.4	26.9	143.4	17,074.9	20.8	118.8	50,089.5	25.8	115.3
US support	9,030.3	22.6	58.4	16,271.1	22.5	119.9	16,239.2	19.8	113.0	41,540.6	21.4	95.6
Military assistance	7,913.7	—	51.2	13,677.3	—	100.8	11,762.0	—	162.7	36,333.0	—	83.7
Support of RVN defense budget	1,116.6	—	7.2	2,593.8	—	19.1	1,477.2	—	10.3	5,187.6	—	11.9
RVN support	4,529.8	11.4	29.3	3,183.4	4.4	23.5	835.7	1.0	5.8	8,548.9	4.4	19.7
Training, total <sup>a</sup>	278.0	0.7	1.8	621.3	0.9	4.6	492.9	0.6	3.4	1,392.2	0.7	3.2
US support	145.0	0.4	0.9	388.0	0.5	2.9	252.2	0.3	1.8	785.2	0.4	1.8
Military assistance	108.6	—	0.7	198.0	—	—	50.0	—	0.4	356.5	—	0.8
Support of RVN defense budget	36.4	—	—	190.0	—	—	202.2	—	—	128.6	—	—
RVN support	133.0	0.3	0.9	233.3	0.4	1.7	240.7	0.3	4.7	607.0	0.3	1.4
Pay and allowances, total	25,903.0	64.9	167.5	52,035.7	71.8	383.5	64,215.7	78.3	446.6	142,154.4	73.2	327.5
US support	1,068.5	2.7	6.9	1,089.0	1.5	8.0	12,946.0	15.8	90.0	15,103.5	7.8	31.8
Catholic Relief Services contribution	1,068.5	—	6.9	1,089.0	—	8.0	8,611.0	—	—	10,768.5	—	—
Support of RVN defense budget	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,335.0	—	—	4,335.0	—	—
RVN support	24,834.5	62.2	160.6	50,946.7	70.3	375.5	51,269.7	62.5	356.6	127,050.9	65.4	292.7
Other (all RVN supported)	157.9	0.4	1.0	332.0	0.4	2.5	253.2	0.3	0.3	743.1	—	1.7
Total	39,899.0	100.0	258.1	72,443.5	100.0	533.9	82,036.7	100.0	570.5	194,379.2	100.0	447.8
US support	10,243.8	25.7	66.3	17,748.1	24.5	130.8	29,437.4	35.9	204.7	57,429.3	29.5	132.3
Military assistance	8,022.3	20.1	—	13,875.3	19.2	—	14,812.0	18.1	—	36,709.6	18.9	—
Support of RVN defense budget <sup>b</sup>	2,221.5	5.6	—	3,872.8	5.3	—	14,625.4	17.8	—	20,719.7	10.6	—
RVN support	29,655.2	74.3	191.8	54,695.4	75.5	403.1	52,599.3	64.1	365.8	136,949.9	70.5	315.5

<sup>a</sup>Includes construction.<sup>b</sup>Includes Catholic Relief Services.

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## Summary of Regional Forces and Popular Forces Budgets, FY65-FY67

(In thousands of dollars)

Item	FY65	FY66	FY67	FY65-FY67
<b>Regional Forces</b>				
Pay and allowances, total	59,897.0	83,036.4	95,755.0	238,688.4
US support	0	16,346.0	35,862.2	52,208.2
RVN support	59,897.0	66,690.4	59,892.8	186,180.2
US % of total	0	19.7	37.5	21.9
Materiel and maintenance, total	3,960.4	4,270.3	2,695.5	10,926.2
US support	52.4	1,649.6	1,589.8	3,281.8
RVN support	3,908.0	2,630.7	1,105.7	7,644.4
US % of total	1.3	38.4	59.0	30.0
Construction and maintenance, <sup>a</sup> total	318.5	4,385.2	6,400.2	11,103.9
US support	0	4,060.9	6,013.3	10,074.2
RVN support	318.5	324.3	386.9	1,029.7
US % of total	0	92.6	94.0	90.7
Training, total <sup>b</sup>	222.7	433.1	336.9	992.7
US support	131.1	285.0	202.2	618.6
RVN support	91.3	148.1	134.7	374.1
US % of total	59.0	65.8	60.0	62.3
Other, total	183.5	368.6	383.0	935.1
US support	0	0	0	0
RVN support	183.5	368.6	383.0	935.1
US % of total	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>64,582.1</b>	<b>92,493.6</b>	<b>105,570.6</b>	<b>262,646.3</b>
US support	183.8	22,331.5	43,667.5	66,182.8
RVN support	64,398.3	70,162.1	61,903.1	196,463.5
US % of total	0.2	24.1	41.4	25.2
<b>Popular Forces</b>				
Pay and allowances, total	51,169.5	50,946.7	55,604.7	157,720.9
US support	0	0	4,335.0	4,335.0
RVN support	51,169.5	50,946.7	51,269.7	153,385.9
US % of total	0	0	0	2.7
Materiel and maintenance, total	5,646.4	5,777.2	2,312.9	13,736.5
US support	1,116.6	2,593.8	1,477.2	5,187.6
RVN support	4,529.8	3,183.4	835.7	8,548.9
US % of total	19.8	44.9	63.9	37.8
Training, total <sup>b</sup>	169.4	423.3	442.9	1,035.6
US support	36.4	190.0	202.2	428.6
RVN support	133.0	233.3	240.7	607.0
US % of total	20.9	44.9	45.7	41.4
Other, total	157.9	332.0	253.2	743.1
US support	0	0	0	0
RVN support	157.9	332.0	253.2	743.1
US % of total	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>57,143.2</b>	<b>57,479.2</b>	<b>58,613.7</b>	<b>173,236.1</b>
US support	1,153.0	2,783.8	6,014.4	9,951.2
RVN support	55,990.2	54,695.4	52,599.3	163,284.9
US % of total	2.0	4.8	10.3	5.7

<sup>a</sup>From Table D23.

<sup>b</sup>From Table D27.

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Breakdown of RVN Defense Budget for Regional Forces, FY65-FY67  
(In thousands of dollars)

Budget chapter	Description	FY65			FY66			FY67		
		Total	US support	RVN funds	Total	US support	RVN funds	Total	US support	RVN funds
1	Pay & Allowances Total	59897.0 <sup>a</sup>	--	59897.0	83036.4	16346.0	66690.4	95755.0	35862.2	59892.8
	Office of Minister of									
2	National Defense	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
3	Officers - P&A	4168.3	--	4168.3	8987.9	--	8987.9	8800.3	2223.0	6577.3
4	NCO - ENL - P&A	26177.8	--	26177.8	66850.7	16346.0	50504.7	84179.9	33639.2	50540.7
5	Pensions & Gratuity	890.4	--	890.4	2376.3	--	2376.3	2568.6	--	2568.6
	Substance	4821.5	--	4821.5	4821.5	--	4821.5	206.2	--	206.2
6	Material & Maintenance Total	3960.4 <sup>a</sup>	52.4	3908.0	4270.3	1639.6	2630.7	2695.5	1589.8	1105.7
9	Transportation	276.4	--	276.4	318.0	--	318.0	66.4	--	66.4
10	Ordnance	321.7	52.4	269.3	334.1	52.4	281.7	12.5	--	12.5
11	Signal	18.5	--	18.5	18.5	--	18.5	8.8	--	8.8
12	Engineer Supply & Maintenance	--	--	--	261.6	184.1	77.5	261.6	184.1	77.5
13	Quartermaster	1313.9	--	1313.9	3097.6	1403.1	1694.5	2042.2	1403.1	639.1
	Medical	67.9	--	67.9	240.5	--	240.5	304.0	--	304.0
18	Construction Total	3864.4 <sup>a</sup>	--	3864.4	3738.6	104.1	3634.5	333.2	166.6	166.6
19	New Construction <sup>b</sup>	3211.9	--	3211.9	3420.1	104.1	3316.0	333.2	166.6	166.6
	Facility Maintenance <sup>c</sup>	318.5	--	318.5	318.5	--	318.5	--	--	--
20	Training	222.7	131.4	91.3	433.1	285.0	148.1	336.9	202.2	134.7
14	Other Total	183.5	--	183.5	368.6	--	368.6	383.0	--	383.0
16	Paywar/Civic Action	11.1	--	11.1	11.1	--	11.1	--	--	--
17	Central Agencies	74.1	--	74.1	133.8	--	133.8	116.5	--	116.5
22	Regional Agencies	31.6	--	31.6	135.4	--	135.4	240.1	--	240.1
23	Social Welfare	--	--	--	--	--	--	4.8	--	4.8
	Legal Claims	66.7	--	66.7	88.3	--	88.3	21.6	--	21.6
	Grand Total	68128.0	183.8	67944.2	91847.0	18374.7	73472.3	99503.6	37820.8	61682.8

<sup>a</sup>Subtotals cover only second half of FY 1965. Detailed data for first half FY 1965 unavailable.

<sup>b</sup>Not expended.

<sup>c</sup>Estimates based on CY1965 budget data.

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TABLE D36  
Breakdown of RVN Defense Budget for Popular Forces, FY65-FY67  
(In thousands of dollars)

Budget chapter	Description	FY65			FY66			FY67		
		Total	US support	RVN funds	Total	US support	RVN funds	Total	US support	RVN funds
2 & 3	Pay & Allowances Total	51169.5 <sup>a</sup>	--	51169.5 <sup>a</sup>	50446.7	--	50446.7	50446.7	4335.0	54269.7
4	Pay & Allowances	22228.9	--	22228.9	44644.6	--	44644.6	44644.6	4335.0	45194.4
5	Pensions & Gratuities	1600.9	--	1600.9	5640.1	--	5640.1	2048.4	--	2498.4
	Subsistence	1001.7	--	1001.7	2662.0	--	2662.0	2869.9	--	2869.9
6	Material & Maintenance Total	5646.4 <sup>a</sup>	1116.6	4529.8 <sup>a</sup>	5777.2	2523.8	3253.4	2312.9	1477.7	835.7
9	Transportation	132.0	--	132.0	173.6	--	173.6	96.4	--	66.4
10	Ordnance	70.5	--	70.5	83.0	--	83.0	12.6	--	12.6
11	Signal	10.0	--	10.0	16.0	--	16.0	--	--	--
12	Engineer Supply & Maintenance	--	--	--	104.6	73.6	31.0	104.6	73.6	31.0
13	Quartermaster	343.9	1116.6	2326.9	5325.8	2920.2	2405.6	1882.4	1403.6	478.8
	Medical	--	--	--	80.2	--	80.2	246.9	--	246.9
18	New Construction <sup>b</sup>	685.4	--	685.4	876.9	--	876.9	254.0	--	254.0
20	Training	169.4	36.4	133.0	579.8	190.0	189.8	336.9	202.2	134.7
14	Other Total	157.9	--	157.9	332.0	--	332.0	253.2	--	253.2
15	Psywar/Civic Action	42.2	--	42.2	42.2	--	42.2	--	--	--
16	Central Agencies	43.4	--	43.4	13.4	--	13.4	--	--	--
17	Regional Agencies	64.0	--	64.0	123.7	--	123.7	59.7	--	59.7
	Social Welfare	--	--	--	92.8	--	92.8	171.9	--	171.9
23	Legal Claims	8.3	--	8.3	29.9	--	29.9	21.6	--	21.6
	Grand Total	57828.6	1153.0	56675.6	58312.6	2783.8	55528.8	58761.7	6014.4	52747.3

<sup>a</sup> Subtotals cover only second half of FY 1965. Detailed data for first half of FY 1965 unavailable.

<sup>b</sup> Not expended.

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## Estimated Expenditures by Category in Direct Support of

(In thousands of dollars except per capita costs.)

Category	FY58			FY59			FY60			FY61			FY62	
	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost
Material and maintenance, total	8,228	20	160	7,756	21	165	7,518	21	152	5,998	17	104	12,670	32
RVN	6,730 <sup>a</sup>	17	131	6,258	17	133	6,020	17	121	4,500	13	78	2,072	5
US support of RVN defense budget	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
US military assistance	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	nd <sup>b</sup>	nd	nd	9,100	23
ICA	1,498 <sup>c</sup>	3	29	1,498 <sup>c</sup>	4	32	1,498 <sup>c</sup>	4	31	1,498 <sup>c</sup>	4	26	1,498 <sup>c</sup>	4
Construction of facilities, total	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
RVN	—	—	—	—	—	—	nd	—	—	nd	—	—	nd	—
US support of RVN defense budget	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
US military assistance	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Training, total	213	1	4	270	1	6	328	1	7	328	1	6	330	1
RVN	—	—	—	57	0	2	115	0	2	115	0	2	117	0
US support of RVN defense budget	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
US military assistance	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	nd	—	—	nd	—
ICA	213 <sup>c</sup>	1	4	213 <sup>c</sup>	1	4	213 <sup>c</sup>	1	4	213 <sup>c</sup>	1	4	213 <sup>c</sup>	1
Pay and allowances	31,812	79	619	29,086	78	619	28,000	78	564	29,500	82	512	26,283	67
RVN	31,812	79	619	29,086	78	619	28,000	78	564	29,500	82	512	26,283	67
US support of RVN defense budget	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
US military assistance	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
RVN	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
US support of RVN defense budget	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
US military assistance	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	40,253	100	783	37,112	100	790	35,846	100	723	35,826	100	622	39,283	100
RVN	38,542	96	750	35,401	95	753	34,135	95	688	34,115	95	592	28,472	72
US support of RVN defense budget	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
US military assistance	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9,100	23
ICA	1,711	4	33	1,711	5	37	1,711	5	35	1,711	5	30	1,711	5

<sup>a</sup>Includes all expenditures except pay and allowances.<sup>b</sup>No data.<sup>c</sup>No annual breakdown; divided among first 5 years evenly.<sup>d</sup>Half of fiscal year.

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## Direct Support of Regional Forces, FY58-FY67

(pt per capita costs, which are in dollars)

FY62			FY63			FY64			FY65			FY66			FY67		
Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost
12,670	32	192	5,931	20	77	21,070	34	248	21,391	37	220	24,600	22	200	25,730	20	178
2,072	5	31	1,881	7	25	3,270	5	39	3,908	7	40	2,630	2	21	1,106	1	8
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	52	0	1	1,640	1	13	1,590	1	11
9,100	23	138	4,050	13	52	17,800	29	209	17,430	30	179	20,330	19	166	23,034	18	159
1,498 <sup>c</sup>	4	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	84	0	1	416	1	5	319	1	3	4,385	4	36	6,400	5	44
nd	—	—	84 <sup>d</sup>	—	1	416	1	5	319	1	3	324	0	3	387	0	3
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	0	—	68	—	0
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,054	4	33	5,945	5	41
330	1	5	59	0	0	952	2	11	257	0	3	598	0	5	662	1	5
117	0	2	59 <sup>d</sup>	—	—	nd	—	—	91	—	1	148	—	1	135	—	1
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	131	—	1	285	—	3	202	—	1
nd	—	—	nd	—	—	952	2	11	35	—	1	163	—	1	325	—	3
213 <sup>c</sup>	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
26,283	67	398	24,890	80	322	37,945	63	447	36,058	62	371	83,036	74	675	95,755	74	662
26,283	67	398	24,890	80	322	37,945	63	447	36,058	62	371	66,690	59	542	59,893	46	414
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	16,346	15	133	35,862	28	248
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	184	0	2	369	0	3	383	0	3
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	184	0	2	369	0	3	383	0	3
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
39,283	100	595	30,964	100	400	60,383	100	711	58,208	100	599	112,988	100	919	128,930	100	892
28,472	72	431	26,914	87	348	41,631	69	490	40,559	70	418	70,162	62	570	61,903	48	428
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	184	0	2	18,277	16	149	37,723	29	260
9,100	23	138	4,050	13	52	18,752	31	221	17,465	30	179	24,549	22	200	29,304	23	204
1,711	5	26	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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Estimated Expenditures by Category in Direct Support of  
(In thousands of dollars except per capita costs, which are in dollars)

Category	FY58			FY59			FY60			FY61			FY62		
	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost
Material and maintenance, total	466	6	9	391	6	8	411	6	10	368	6	13	820	6	13
RVN	466	6	9	391	6	8	411	6	10	368	6	13	820	6	13
US support of RVN defense budget	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
US military assistance	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Construction of facilities, total	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
RVN	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
US support of RVN defense budget	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
US military assistance	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Training, total	78	1	2	44	1	1	46	1	1	95	1	2	136	1	2
RVN	78	1	2	44	1	1	46	1	1	95	1	2	136	1	2
US support of RVN defense budget	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
US military assistance	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pay and allowances, total	7225	93	146	5966	93	126	6264	93	157	8801	93	197	12,693	93	200
RVN	7225	93	146	5966	93	126	6264	93	157	8801	93	197	12,693	93	200
US support of RVN defense budget	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
US military assistance	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other, total	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
RVN	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
US support of RVN defense budget	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
US military assistance	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	7769	100	157	6401	100	135	6721	100	168	9464	100	212	13,649	100	215
RVN	7769	100	157	6401	100	135	6721	100	168	9464	100	212	13,649	100	215
US support of RVN defense budget	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
US military assistance	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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## Direct Support of Popular Forces, FY58-FY67

(except per capita costs, which are in dollars)

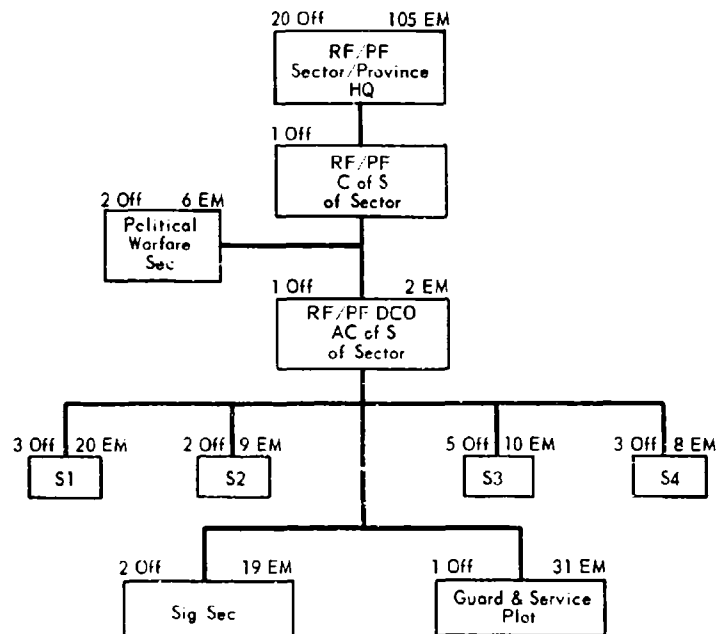
FY62			FY63			FY64			FY65			FY66			FY67		
Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost	Total cost	Percent of total cost	Per capita cost
820	6	13	5,123	23	36	10,859	23	116	13,560	34	87	19,455	27	143	17,075	21	119
820	6	13	1,073	5	12	2,559	5	28	4,530	11	29	3,183	4	23	836	1	6
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,117	3	7	2,594	4	19	1,477	2	10
—	—	—	4,050	18	44	8,300	18	88	7,913	20	51	13,678	19	101	14,762	18	103
136	1	2	179	1	2	190	0	2	278	1	2	621	1	5	493	1	3
136	1	2	179	1	2	190	—	2	133	—	1	233	1	2	241	—	2
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	36	—	0	196	—	1	202	—	1
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	109	—	1	198	—	2	50	—	—
2,693	93	200	16,639	76	183	35,169	77	375	25,902	65	168	52,036	72	383	64,216	78	447
2,693	93	200	16,639	76	183	35,169	77	375	24,835	62	161	50,947	70	375	51,270	62	357
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,335	5	30
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,068	3	7	1,089	2	8	8,611	11	60
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	158	0	1	332	0	2	253	0	2
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	158	0	1	332	0	2	253	0	2
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,649	100	215	21,941	100	241	46,218	100	493	39,899	100	258	72,444	100	533	82,037	100	571
1,649	100	215	17,891	82	197	37,918	82	405	29,655	74	192	54,695	75	403	52,599	64	366
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,222	6	14	3,873	5	28	11,625	18	102
—	—	—	4,050	18	44	8,300	18	88	8,023	20	52	13,875	19	102	14,812	18	103

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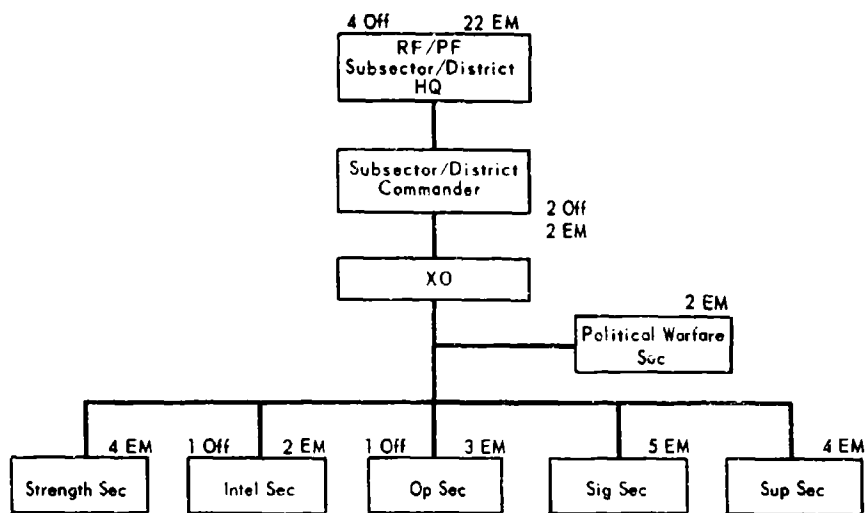
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(U) Tables D37 and D38 show the estimated expenditures in direct support of the Regional Forces and Popular Forces respectively for the period FY58-FY67.

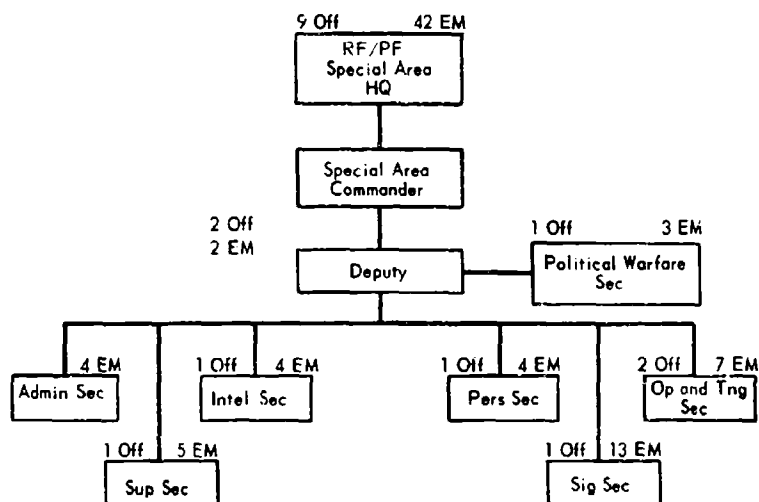


(C) Fig. D1—Table of Organization, Regional Forces Popular Forces Sector or Province Headquarters  
TOE 48-360, 8 Aug 65.



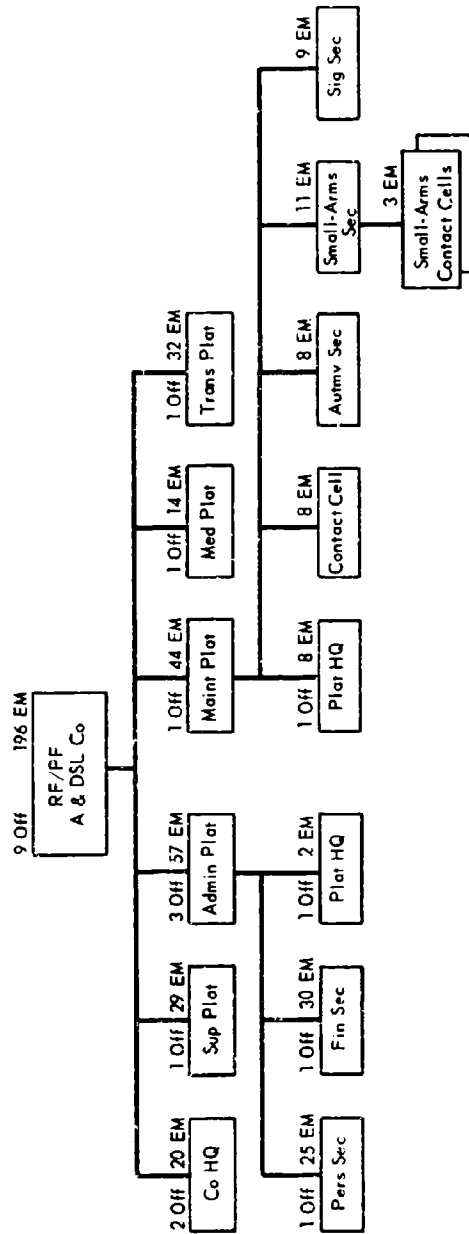


(U) Fig. D2—Table of Organization, Regional Forces/Popular Forces Subsector or District Headquarters  
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(U) Fig. D3—Table of Organization, Regional Forces/Popular Forces Special Area or Special Sector Headquarters  
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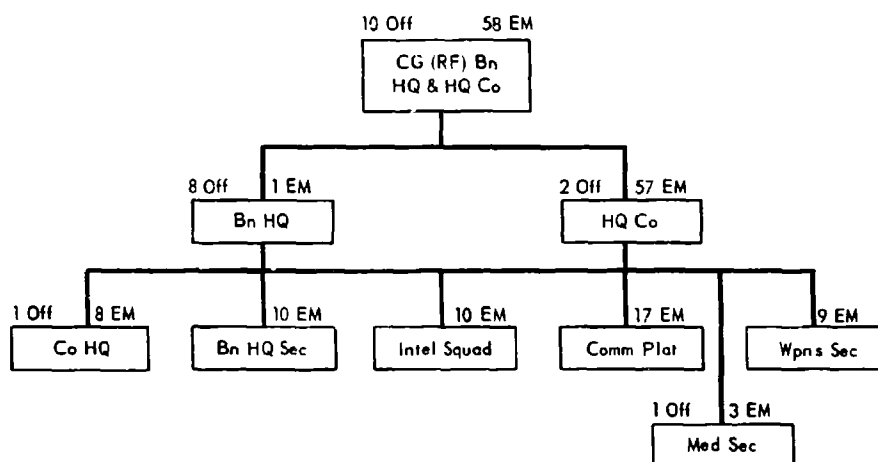
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(C) Fig. D4—Table of Organization, Civil Guard/Self-Defense Corps, Regional Forces/Popular Forces  
Administrative and Direct-Support Logistical Company  
TOE 48-381, 15 Mar 66.

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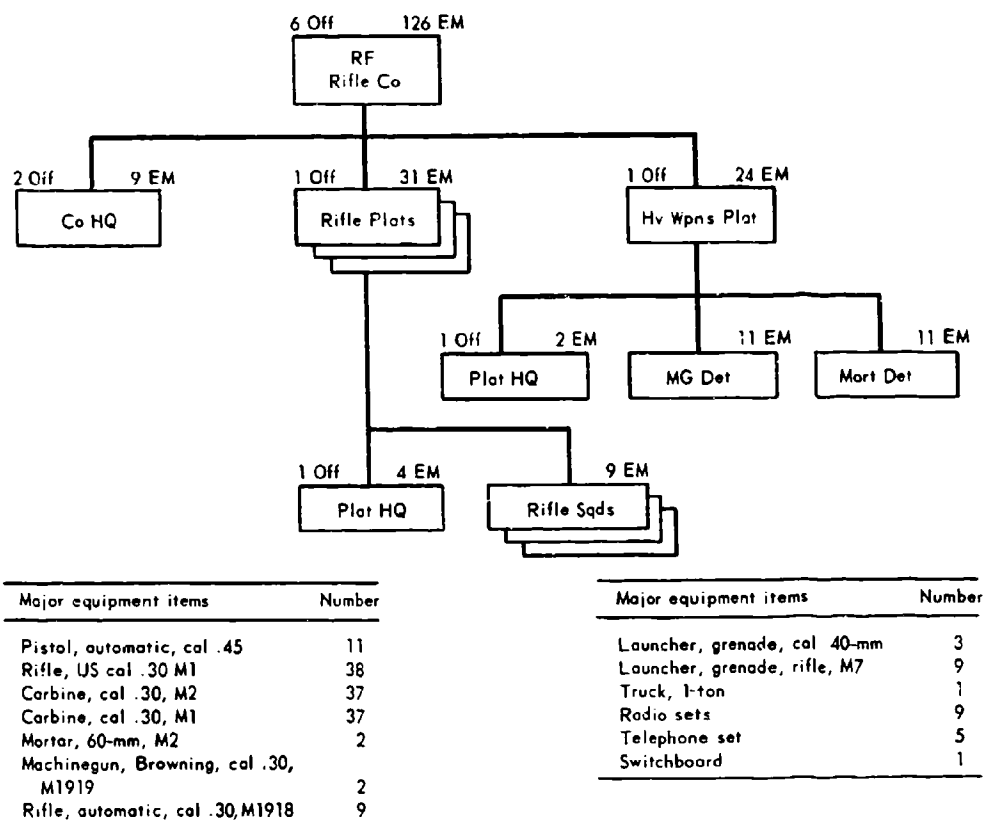


Major equipment items	Number	Major equipment items	Number
Pistol, automatic, cal .45	8	Truck, 1-ton	4
Submachinegun, cal .45, M1	6	Trailer, all body types	6
Rifle, US, cal .30, M1	17	Radio set, AN/PRC-10	5
Launcher, M79	2	Radio set, AN/GRC-87	2
Carbines, cal .30	37	Telephone, TA-312/PT	10
Truck, 2½-ton	2	Switchboard, SB-22 PT	1
Truck, ¼-ton	5		

(C) Fig. D5—Table of Organization, Regional Forces Battalion Headquarters and Headquarters Company  
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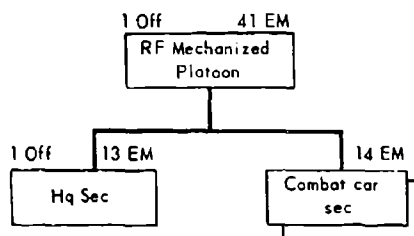
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(C) Fig. D6— Table of Organization and Equipment, Regional Forces Rifle Company  
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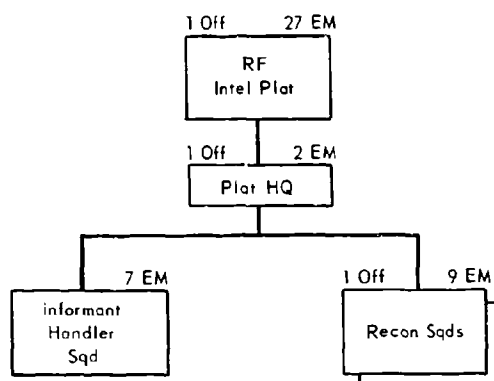
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Major equipment items	Number	Major equipment items	Number
Pistol, automatic, cal.45	8	Machinegun, cal .50	6
Carbine, cal .30,M1	12	Armored cars	6
Rifle, VS cal .30,M1	20	Truck, 1-ton	1
Rifle, automatic, cal .30 Browning, M1918 A2	2	Radio set, AN/VRC-34	1
Mortar, 60-mm	1	Radio set, AN/VRC-15	6
Machinegun, cal .30	6	Radio set, AN/PRC-10	3
		Radio set, AN/PRC-6	3

(C) Fig. D7—Organization Chart and Major Equipment, Regional Forces Mechanized Platoon

TOE 48-883, 5 May 66.

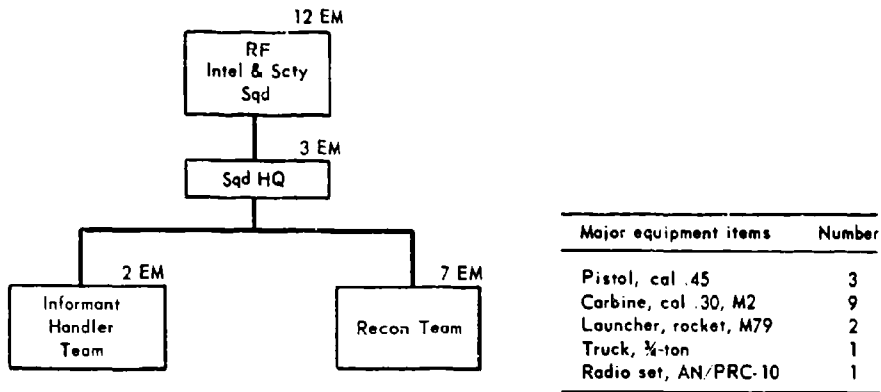


Major equipment items	Number
Pistol, cal .45	10
Carbine, cal .30, M2	18
Truck, 2 1/2-ton	1
Truck, 1/2-ton	1
Launcher, grenade, M79	2
Radio set, AN PRC-10	3
Sound reproducer recorder	1

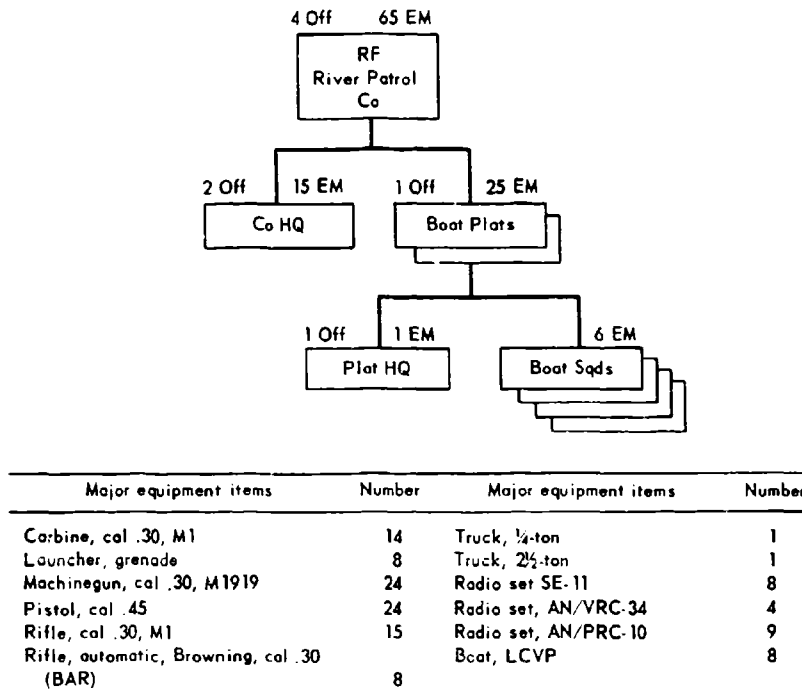
(C) Fig. D8—Table of Organization and Equipment, Civil Guard or Regional Forces Intelligence and Security Platoon

TOE 48-840, 14 Jan 66.

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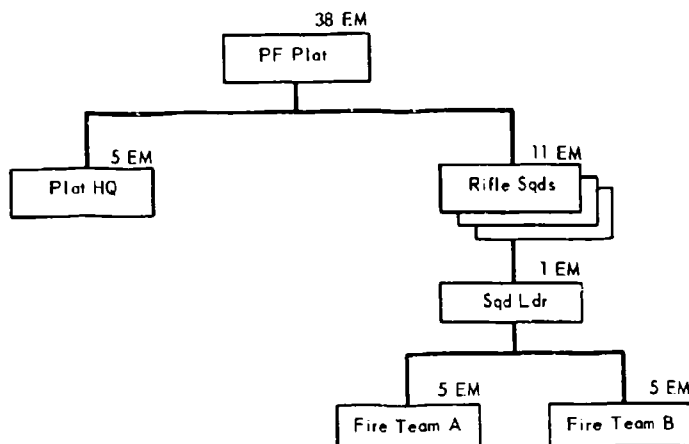


(C) Fig. D9—Table of Organization and Equipment, Regional Forces Intelligence Squad  
TOE 48-940, 31 Jan 66.



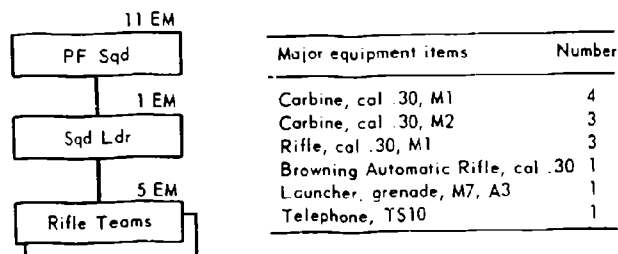
(C) Fig. D10—Table of Organization and Equipment, Regional Forces Boat Company  
TOE 48-733, 29 Apr 66.

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Major equipment items	Number
Carbine, cal .30, M1	17
Carbine, cal .30, M2	9
Rifle, automatic, Browning, cal .30	3
Rifle, US, cal .30, M1	9
Launcher, grenade, rifle, M7	3
Radio set, AN. PRC-10	2

(C) Fig. D11—Organization Chart and Major Equipment,  
Popular Forces Platoon  
TOE 48-891, Nov 65.



(C) Fig. D12—Organization Chart and Major Equipment,  
Popular Forces Squad  
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## SCOPE AND ORGANIZATION OF THE PROGRAM

(U) Table E1 shows the assigned strength of US Army advisors and the types of assignment. The data include an insignificant number of US Marine Corps and US Air Force personnel.

(C) The data for sector and subsector headquarters include the personnel with primary duties relating to advising the Regional Forces and the Popular Forces. It is estimated that each sector headquarters had three officers and each subsector had one enlisted man assigned to such duties.<sup>47</sup> It is further estimated that the average number of personnel assigned to sector and subsector headquarters with primary duty of advising Regional Forces and Popular Forces were as shown in the accompanying tabulation.<sup>48</sup>

Year	Officers	Enlisted men
FY65	133	72
FY66	115	136
FY67	124	181

(U) Tables E2 to E4 show the composition of selected basic-type US Army advisor units. The actual units are modified to meet the specific requirements existing at the place of assignment.

## PREDEPLOYMENT TRAINING

(U) Table E5<sup>49-51</sup> shows the estimated cost of the identified predeployment training of US Army advisors. The data on course costs were furnished by the schools concerned and are accepted as correct since verification of such costs is beyond the purview of this study. Travel and per diem costs were assumed to be \$75 and \$3.50 respectively for courses of less than 20 weeks in duration. Attendance at courses of 20 or more weeks is assumed to be on a permanent-change-of-station basis at an average cost of \$829 for officers and \$520 for enlisted men (Dept of Army,<sup>52</sup> p 38).

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TABLE E1  
US Army Advisors Assigned Strength, FY65-FY67<sup>40</sup>

Item	Corps HQ	Corps HQ units	Division	Sector HQ	Subsector HQ	Army training installation	Regional Forces (RF)	Popular Forces (PF)	RF/PF	Ranger units	Airborne units
August 1964											
Officers	103	62	335	202	8	60	15	24	29	35	17
Enlisted	106	18	363	149	11	56	26	35	21	19	7
Total	209	80	698	351	19	116	41	59	50	54	24
October 1964											
Officers	141	63	433	264	191	71	12	25	33	38	21
Enlisted	150	24	467	168	208	74	21	52	23	25	8
Total	291	87	900	432	399	145	33	77	56	63	29
January 1965											
Officers	91	65	436	230	232	65	14	28	35	42	20
Enlisted	155	23	577	187	353	50	29	44	27	36	9
Total	246	88	1013	417	585	115	43	72	62	78	29
March 1965											
Officers	70	65	420	234	234	62	14	32	38	40	17
Enlisted	137	26	561	198	360	63	26	43	25	39	9
Total	207	91	981	432	594	125	40	75	63	79	26
June 1965											
Officers	165	59	453	217	228	62	20	37	57	41	18
Enlisted	187	21	600	195	352	61	33	44	27	41	10
Total	352	80	1053	412	580	123	53	81	84	82	28
Average FY1965											
Officers	112	64	421	231	194	64	15	29	38	40	18
Enlisted	150	23	527	179	273	61	27	44	25	32	10
Total	262	87	948	410	474	125	42	73	63	72	28
July 1965											
Officers	297	64	590	201	219	47	15	21	31	48	18
Enlisted	317	18	676	205	340	64	26	27	12	50	9
Total	614	82	1266	406	559	101	41	48	43	98	27
October 1965											
Officers	284	69	569	302	222	71	24	27	39	49	22
Enlisted	398	30	757	339	356	68	26	35	25	65	12
Total	682	99	1326	641	578	139	50	62	64	114	34

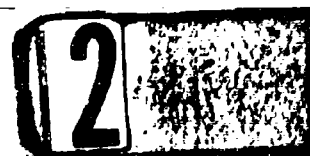


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TABLE E1  
US Army Advisors Assigned Strength, FY65-FY67<sup>48</sup>

Subsector HQ	Army training installation	Regional Forces (RF)	Popular Forces (PF)	RF/PF	Ranger units	Airborne units	Armored units	Other	Capital Military Region	Total
8	60	15	24	29	35	17	11	96	4	1001
11	56	26	35	21	19	7	0	122	2	935
19	116	41	59	50	54	24	11	218	6	1936
191	71	12	25	33	38	21	20	143	7	1462
208	74	21	52	23	25	8	19	169	8	1416
399	145	33	77	56	63	29	39	312	15	2878
232	65	14	28	35	42	20	19	203	9	1499
353	50	29	44	27	36	9	18	223	7	1738
585	115	43	72	62	78	29	37	426	16	3227
234	62	14	32	38	40	17	19	226	11	1482
360	63	26	43	25	39	9	18	235	9	1749
594	125	40	75	63	79	26	37	461	20	3231
228	62	20	37	57	41	18	19	116	13	1505
352	61	33	44	27	41	10	26	492	11	2100
580	123	53	81	84	82	28	45	608	24	3605
194	64	15	29	38	40	18	18	168	9	1421
279	61	27	44	25	32	10	17	243	9	1627
474	125	42	73	63	72	28	35	410	19	3448
219	47	15	21	31	48	18		44	24	1619
340	64	26	27	12	50	9	2	439	19	2204
559	101	41	48	43	98	27	2	483	43	3823
222	71	24	27	39	49	22	4	28	35	1745
356	68	26	35	25	65	12	2	418	34	2565
578	139	50	62	64	114	34	6	446	69	4310

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TABLE E1 (continued)

Item	Corps HQ	Corps HQ units	Division	Sector HQ	Subsector HQ	Army training installation	Regional Forces (RF)	Popular Forces (PF)	RF/PF	Ranger units	Airborne units
January 1966											
Officers	352	74	591	282	288	96	28	33	49	48	28
Enlisted	451	30	801	343	479	108	31	42	43	53	14
Total	803	104	1392	625	767	204	59	75	92	101	42
March 1966											
Officers	276	89	506	264	287	96	26	28	41	54	30
Enlisted	380	40	672	312	450	128	27	40	44	62	11
Total	656	129	1178	576	737	224	53	68	85	116	41
June 1966											
Officers	256	73	612	290	325	125	38	23	41	60	1
Enlisted	497	38	799	382	498	175	45	32	45	62	1
Total	753	111	1411	672	823	300	83	55	86	122	2
Average FY1966											
Officers	283	75	562	280	263	86	26	26	40	49	20
Enlisted	410	32	743	324	417	108	31	35	34	58	11
Total	693	107	1305	604	680	194	57	61	74	107	31
July 1966											
Officers	240	73	551	288	286	109	32	20	36	49	2
Enlisted	390	37	737	340	487	108	37	44	43	53	1
Total	630	110	1288	628	775	217	69	64	79	102	3
October 1966											
Officers	253	72	563	264	320	116	33	27	33	58	3
Enlisted	439	31	699	345	467	103	41	47	36	59	3
Total	692	103	1262	609	787	219	74	74	69	117	6
January 1967											
Officers	261	74	578	333	362	130	37	31	41	50	4
Enlisted	432	30	666	239	467	94	41	44	36	62	5
Total	693	104	1244	672	829	224	78	75	77	112	9
March 1967											
Officers	255	69	577	321	356	126	29	23	28	57	3
Enlisted	446	34	658	357	538	98	38	29	31	67	5
Total	701	103	1235	678	894	224	67	52	59	124	8
June 1967											
Officers	261	67	548	327	341	128	24	20	28	53	2
Enlisted	513	37	797	467	704	132	36	31	30	79	3
Total	774	106	1345	794	1045	260	60	51	58	132	5
Average FY1967											
Officers	256	71	570	305	338	122	31	24	33	54	3
Enlisted	440	33	710	362	520	107	39	39	35	65	4
Total	696	104	1280	667	858	229	70	63	68	119	7

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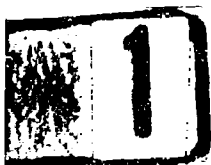


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or I	Subsector HQ	Army training installation	Regional Forces (RF)	Popular Forces (PF)	RF/PF	Ranger units	Airborne units	Armored units	Other	Capital Military Region	Total
12	288	96	28	33	49	48	28	51	49	21	1950
13	479	108	31	42	43	53	14	54	479	26	2954
15	767	204	59	75	92	101	42	105	528	47	4944
14	287	96	26	28	41	54	30	58	40	22	1817
2	450	128	27	40	44	62	11	58	452	30	2706
16	737	224	53	68	85	116	41	116	492	52	4523
10	325	125	38	23	41	60	1	62	72	40	2018
12	498	175	45	32	45	62	1	64	636	49	3323
12	823	300	83	55	86	122	2	126	708	89	5341
30	263	86	26	26	40	49	20	30	47	30	1817
14	417	108	31	35	34	58	11	31	462	32	2728
14	680	194	57	61	74	107	31	61	509	62	4545
38	288	109	32	20	36	49	2	56	72	40	1856
40	487	108	37	44	43	53	1	51	584	42	2954
28	775	217	69	64	79	102	3	107	656	82	4810
54	320	116	33	27	33	58	3	57	84	50	1933
45	467	103	41	47	36	59	3	59	465	45	2839
39	787	219	74	74	69	117	6	116	549	95	4772
33	362	130	37	31	41	50	4	55	83	54	2053
39	467	94	41	44	36	62	5	62	410	57	2745
72	829	224	78	75	77	112	9	117	493	111	4838
21	356	126	29	23	28	57	3	51	98	44	2037
57	538	98	38	29	31	67	5	60	424	48	2833
78	894	224	67	52	59	124	8	111	522	92	4870
27	341	128	24	20	28	53	2	49	92	45	1987
57	704	132	36	31	30	79	3	63	502	54	3448
94	1045	260	60	51	58	132	5	112	599	99	5435
05	330	122	31	24	33	54	3	55	86	49	1997
62	520	107	39	39	35	65	4	60	470	49	2933
67	858	229	70	63	68	119	7	115	556	98	4930

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TABLE E2  
Typical Corps Advisory Detachment<sup>47</sup>

Personnel	Number	MOS number	Grade
Corps Hq. Advisors			
Corps Deputy Senior Advisor	1	00002	07
Asst. Deputy	1	81542	06
Aide-De-Camp	1	02030	02
Chaplains	3	05310	03, 04
Asst. Chaplains	1	71M20	E4
Provost Marshal	1	09100	04
Operations/Registrar	1	95B14	E6
Clerk Typist	15	71B30	E4
Administrative Officer	1	02120	03
Legal Clerk	1	71D20	E6
Administrative Specialist	12	71L20	E5, E6, E7
Steno	2	71G20	E4
G1 Advisors	2	82260	04, 05
Military Police Advisor	2	89100	03, 04
Special Service Officer	1	05000	03
Adjutant General Advisor	1	82110	02
Personnel Management Advisor	2	71H4H	E7
Entertainment Advisor	2	03B40	E6, E4
Prisoner of War Advisor	3	95B4H	E5, E7
Interpreter	2	04B3L	E5
Photographic Advisor	2	84B20	E5, E7
Field Information Advisor	2	05505	03, 04
G3 Advisors	6	82162	03, 04
G3 Air Advisors	2	82163	03, 04
Chemical Advisor	1	87314	03
Operation Advisor	5	11F40	E6, E7, E8
G4 Advisors	2	84010	04, 05
G5 Advisors	2	88104	04, 05
Psywar Advisors	3	99305	03, 04
Engineer Advisors	2	27010	05
Sector Engineer Advisors	2	12B4H	E7
Signal Advisors	2	81331	04
Signal Operations Advisors	3	80210	04, 03
Senior Medical Advisors	1	83506	04
Medical Advisors	2	71B20	E4
Medical Aidman	5	91B4H	E4, E6, E7
Inspector General Advisor	2	91B20	E4
Inspector General (or) Administrative Supervisor	2	89310	05
RF/PF Advisors	3	82162	04, 05
Logistics/Personnel Advisors	1	84010	03
Corps Artillery Advisors	4	81193	02, 03, 04
Firing Battery Advisor	3	13B4H	E5, E7
Combat Engineer Advisor	3	81331	03, 04
Engineer Maintenance Advisor	1	621A8	W0
Combat Engineer Advisor	2	62E5H	E7, E8
Dog Training Advisors	1	00C4H	E7
Chief Signal Advisor	1	3124H	E8
Radio Repair Advisor	1	31E4H	E7
Quartermaster Advisor	1	84010	04
Ordnance Advisors	1	84512	04

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TABLE E2 (continued)

Personnel	Number	MOS number	Grade
Relief Commodities Advisor	2	76K40	E6
Civil Action Advisor	1	88104	03
Construction Engineer Advisor	2	81328	03
Construction Mechanic	2	62E4H	E6, E7
Weapon Advisor	1	11B4H	E7
Corps Liaison Group Advisors			
Liaison Officer	1	02120, 01193	03
Liaison NCO	1	71L40	E6
Corps Logistics Coordination Advisors			
Engineer Advisor	1	87110	04
Area Engineer	1	07110, 07130	03
Food Services Supervisor	1	941A0	W0
Construction Supervisor	1	51H40	E7
Power Generator NCO	2	52D40, 52B30	E6, E4
Utility Supervisor	1	51P40	E6
Administrative Supervisor	1	71L40	E6
Movement Supervisor or Specialist	2	71N40, 71N20	E6, E4
Supply Sergeant	1	76K40	E6
Senior Engineer Equipment RPRMN	2	62B30	E5, E4
Repairmen Specialist	2	51L20	E4
Clerk Typist	1	71B30	E4
Security Officer Advisor	1	81542	04
Corps Detachment Headquarters			
Detachment Commander	1	02900, 02019	04
Asst. Detachment Commander	1	02900	03
Detachment Sergeant	1	71L50	E8
Mess Steward	4	94B40	E7, E6
Clerk Typist	2	71B30	E4
Mail Clerk	1	71F20	E3
Utility Supervisor	2	51P40	E6
Supply NCO	2	76K40	E6, E7
Electrician	1	52F20	E6
Auto Mech. (or) Motor Sergeant	1	63B40	E7, E4
Provost Marshal (or) Security Officer	1	09100, 09307	02, 04
Armor Advisor	1	76K30	E4
Administrative Supervisor	2	71L40	E7
Corps Ranger Headquarters Advisors			
Ranger Task Force Advisor	1	81542	04
Operation Advisor	1	82162	03
Personnel/Logistics Advisor	1	82260	03
Operation NCO Division Advisor	1	11F4H	E7
IS Radio Operator	1	05B20	E4, E5
Administrative Supv. Advisor	1	71L40, 76K4H	E6
Corps Popular Forces Unit			
Training Advisors			
Senior Unit Training Advisors	1	82622	03
Chief Advisor	1	11G5H	E8

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TABLE E3  
Typical Division Advisory Detachment<sup>47</sup>

Personnel	Number	MOS number	Grade
Division Headquarters			
Senior Division-Detachment Commander	1	81542	O6
Deputy Detachment Commander	1	81542	O5
Administrative Officer	1	02120	O3
Chief Advisor	1	11G5H	E9
Liaison Officer	1	81193	O3
Clerk Typist	3	71B30	E4
Administrative Supervisor	1	71L40	E6
G1 Advisor	1	82260	O4
Assistant G1 Advisor	1	82260	O3
Personnel Management Supervisor	2	71H4H	E7
Senior Personnel Management Advisor	1	71H5H	E8
G3 Advisor	1	82162	O4
Assistant G3 Advisor	3	82162	O3
Assistant G3 Operation Air Advisors	3	82162	O3
Assistant G3 TOC Advisor	1	82162	O3
Training Center Advisor	1	81542	O3
Chief Information Operations Advisor	1	11F5H	E8
Information Operations Advisor	1	11F4H	E7
Air Operations NCO	1	11F40	E7
Training Center NCO Advisor	1	11F4H	E7
Junior Training Center Advisor	1	11F4H	E6
G4 Advisor	1	84010	O4
Ordnance Advisor	1	84512	O3
Ordnance Maintenance Advisor	1	6324H	E7
Signal Advisor	1	80210	O3
G5 Advisor	1	89305	O4
Assistant G5 Advisor	1	82162	O3
RF/PF Advisors	1	82162	O4
Inspector General Advisor	1	89310	O4
Translator	1	04B2L	E5
Secretary/Steno	1	71C20	E4
Radio Operator/Reconnaissance	1	11B30	E4
Chief Radio Operator	1	05B40	E5
Radio Repairman Advisor	1	31E4H	E7
IS Radio Operator	3	05B20	E4
IS Radio Operator	4	05B20	E3
General Medical Officer	1	03100	O3
Medical Advisor	1	83506	O3
Chief Medical Advisor	1	91B5H	E8
Junior Medical Advisor	1	91B4H	E6
Senior Medical Advisor	1	91B30	E5
Medical Aidman	1	91B20	E4
Medical Advisor	1	91B5H	E7
Engineer BN Advisor	1	81331	O3
Artillery BN Advisor	3	81193	O3
Combat Engineer Advisor	1	12B4H	E7
Division Supply Advisor	1	76K4H	E7
Signal/Supply Advisor	1	281A8	WO
Assistant Division Artillery Advisor	2	81193	O2
Division Artillery Advisor	1	81193	O4

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TABLE E3 (continued)

Personnel	Number	MOS number	Grade
Reconnaissance Composite Advisor	1	81152	O3
Light Weapon Infantry Advisor	1	11B4H	E7
Firing Battery Advisor	5	13B4E	E5, E7
Detachment Headquarters			
Detachment Commander	1	02900	O3
Assistant Detachment Commander	1	02900	O3
Detachment Sergeant	2	71L50	E8, E7
Mess Steward	2	94B40	E7, E6
Utilities Supervisor	1	51F40	E6
Supply Sergeant	1	76K40	E6
Power Generator Specialist	1	52B30	E4
Unit Supply Specialist	1	76K20	E4
Clerk Typist	1	71B30	E4
Mail Clerk	1	70A10	E3
Field Security Team			
Security Guard	5	11B40	E5
Security Guard	15	11B20	E4
Infantry Regiment Advisory Team <sup>a</sup>			
Senior Regiment Advisor	1	81542	O4
Regiment Staff Advisor	1	82162	O3
IS Radio Operator	1	05E20	E4
Infantry Battalion Advisory Team <sup>b</sup>			
Battalion Advisor	1	81542	O3
Assistant Battalion Advisor	1	81542	O2
Light Weapon and/or Heavy Weapon Advisor	2	11C4H	E6, E7
Field Artillery Battalion Advisory Team <sup>c</sup>			
Battalion Advisor	1	81193	O3
Firing Battery Advisor	1	13B4E	E7

<sup>a</sup> Normally 3 per division.

<sup>b</sup> Normally 4 per regiment.

<sup>c</sup> Normally 2 per division.

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TABLE E4  
Typical Composition of Miscellaneous Advisory Teams

Personnel	Number	MOS number	Grade
<b>Armor Cavalry Squadron Advisory Team</b>			
Squadron Advisor	1	81204	O4
Staff Advisor	1	82162	O3
Troop Advisor/M113 (cr) M41	3	81204	O3
Armor Operations Advisor/M113 (cr) M41	3	11B4H	E7
Assistant Operations Advisor/M113 (cr) M41	2	11C4H	E6
Maintenance Advisor	1	63C4H	E7
<b>Ranger Battalion Advisory Team</b>			
Battalion Advisors	1	81542	O3
Assistant Battalion Advisor	1	81542	O2
Light Weapons Infantry Advisor	1	11B4H	E7
Jr. Light Weapon Infantry Advisor	1	11B4H	E6
IS Radio Operator	1	05B20	E4
<b>Sector Advisory Team</b>			
Supply Staff Officer	1	84010	O3
Sector Advisor	1	82162	O5
Assistant Sector Advisor	1	82162	O4
RF, PF Advisor	1	82162	O4
Operations Advisor	1	82162	O4
S2/S3 Advisor Air	1	82163	O3
RF, PF, S4 Advisor	1	84010	O3
Psywar Advisor	1	99305	O3
Civil Action Advisor	1	93104	O3
Operations Training Advisor	1	11F4H	E7
Psyops/Civil Action Advisor	1	11F4H	E6
Detachment Supply Sergeant	1	76K4C	E5
Administrative Specialist	1	71L20	E5
Clerk Typist	1	71B30	E4
Senior Radio Operator	1	05B20	E4
Ordnance Maintenance Advisor	1	63B4H	E7
Administrative/Finance Advisor	1	73C4H	E7
Radio Operator	2	05B20	E3
<b>Sub-Sector Advisory Team</b>			
Sub-Sector Advisor	1	82162	O4
Assistant Sub-Sector Advisor	1	82162	O3
Medical Specialist Advisor	1	91P4H	E7
IS Radio Operator	1	05B40	E5
Operations/Intelligence Advisor	1	11F4H	E7
Village Security Force Advisor	1	11B4H	E7
Psyops/Civil Action Advisor	1	11F4H	E6

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TABLE E5  
Estimated Cost of Predeployment Training of US Army Advisors, FY65-FY67  
(In thousands of dollars)

Course	FY65	FY66	FY67	Total
Civil Affairs Advisor <sup>49</sup> (total cost)	13.1	50.3	519.1	582.5
Officer students	53	167	257	477
Enlisted students	0	0	0	0
Travel & per diem cost	11.8	37.1	507.6	556.5
Course cost	1.3	13.2	11.5	26.0
Defense Language Institute <sup>50</sup>				
(total cost)	977.7	987.7	2778.9	4744.3
47 Week Course (total cost)	163.6	166.6	365.9	696.1
Officer students	20	20	30	70
Enlisted students	36	42	117	195
Travel cost	35.3	48.4	85.7	169.4
Course cost	128.3	118.2	280.2	526.7
37 Week Course (total cost)	104.4	243.2	571.3	918.9
Officer students	0	0	0	0
Enlisted students	47	126	296	469
Travel cost	24.4	65.5	153.9	243.8
Course cost	80.0	177.7	417.4	675.1
36 Week Course (total cost)	31.0	0	0	31.0
Officer students	2	0	0	2
Enlisted students	12	0	0	12
Travel cost	7.9	0	0	7.9
Course cost	23.1	0	0	23.1
32 Week Course (total cost)	0	0	760.8	760.8
Officer students	0	0	7	7
Enlisted students	0	0	430	430
Travel cost	0	0	229.4	229.4
Course cost	0	0	531.4	531.4
23 Week Course (total cost)	0	9.0	0	9.0
Officer students	0	0	0	0
Enlisted students	0	10	0	10
Travel cost	0	5.2	0	5.2
Course cost	0	3.8	0	3.8
16 Week Course (total cost)	7.3	1.0	0	8.3
Officer students	6	1	0	7
Enlisted students	0	0	0	0
Travel & per diem cost	2.8	.4	0	3.2
Course cost	4.5	.6	0	5.1
12 Week Course (total cost)	622.6	384.5	747.4	1754.5
Officer students	364	396	876	1636
Enlisted students	312	70	30	412
Travel & per diem cost	249.4	172.0	334.3	755.7
Course cost	373.2	212.5	413.1	998.8
8 Week Course (total cost)	48.8	183.4	333.5	565.7
Officer students	44	199	123	366
Enlisted students	22	120	457	599
Travel & per diem cost	17.9	86.4	157.2	261.5
Course cost	30.9	97.0	176.3	304.2

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TABLE E5 (continued)

Course	FY65	FY66	FY67	Total
MATA Courses <sup>st</sup> (total cost) <sup>a</sup>	686.8	1413.0	819.9	2919.7
MATA unspecified (total cost)	635.4	126.4	0	761.8
Officer students	211	514	0	1425
Enlisted students	330	136	0	466
Travel & per diem cost	275.5	126.4	0	401.9
Course cost	359.9	0	0	359.9
Sector/Unit (total cost)	0	361.7	438.5	800.2
Officer students	0	739	885	1624
Enlisted students	0	0	0	0
Travel & per diem cost	0	145.9	174.8	320.7
Course cost	0	215.8	263.7	479.5
Corps/Division (total cost)	0	50.9	102.4	153.3
Officer students	0	104	197	301
Enlisted students	0	0	0	0
Travel & per diem cost	0	20.5	43.7	64.2
Course cost	0	30.4	58.7	89.1
MOO (total cost)	0	596.2	200.5	796.7
Enlisted students	0	263	550	813
Travel & per diem cost	0	519.4	122.1	641.5
Course cost	0	76.8	78.4	155.2
Psychological Operations (total cost)	51.4	277.8	78.5	407.7
Officer students	69	144	151	364
Enlisted students	0	0	0	0
Travel & per diem cost	18.8	235.8	33.5	288.1
Course cost	32.6	42.0	45.0	119.6
Total cost	1677.6	2451.0	4117.9	8246.5
Annual per capita cost <sup>b</sup>	354	532	835	652

<sup>a</sup> Average course cost/student: FY65, \$290; FY66, \$292; FY67, \$298.

<sup>b</sup> Absolute dollars; based on average number of assigned advisors from Table E1.

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## DEPLOYMENT TO AND FROM THE RVN

(U) Table E6 shows the estimated cost of deployment to the RVN and re-deployment to the US of US Army advisors and is based on the following assumptions:

- (a) Advisors were not accompanied by dependents
- (b) Travel to and from the RVN was performed by Military Air Command means
- (c) All travel was performed in the same fiscal year

(U) In preparing Table E6 the cost of a one-way trip was estimated as shown in Table E7.<sup>52, 53</sup>

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TABLE E6  
Estimated Cost of Deployment of US Army Advisors  
to and from the RVN, FY65-FY67  
(In thousands of dollars)

Category <sup>a</sup>	FY65		FY66		FY67		Total cost
	Number	Cost	Number	Cost	Number	Cost	
Officers	1415	4132	1815	5300	2001	5843	15,275
Enlisted men	1621	2164	2725	3641	2933	3918	9,723
Total	3036	6296	4540	8941	4934	9761	24,998

<sup>a</sup>From Table E1.

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TABLE E7  
Cost Details of One-Way Transportation to RVN  
of US Army Advisors<sup>a</sup>  
(In dollars)

Item	Officers	Enlisted men
Travel within US	113.62	92.72
Dependent travel	90.92	28.20
Transportation and temporary storage of household goods and personal effects	720.30	127.80
Dislocation allowance	72.51	20.34
Trailer allowance	1.17	1.99
Nontemporary storage	73.39	8.86
Travel to RVN by Military Air Command <sup>b</sup>	388.28	388.28
Total	1460.19	668.19

<sup>a</sup>Based on Ref 52, pp 42, 43.

<sup>b</sup>Based on Ref 53 and includes 60 lb of baggage.

## IN-COUNTRY OPERATING COSTS

(U) Table E8 shows the equipment specifically designated for advisors and furnished through military assistance programs.

(U) Table E9<sup>54, 55</sup> shows the equipment authorized for issue to advisors through the RVN Army.

(U) Table E10<sup>56</sup> shows the number of advisor-compound defense weapons authorized for advisor units as of 26 September 1967.

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TABLE E8

Equipment Furnished by US Military Assistance for US Army Advisors, FY65-FY67<sup>a</sup>

(In thousands of dollars)

Item and generic code	FY65		1 Jul 65- 25 Mar 66		26 Mar 66- 30 Jan 67		Total	
	Number	Cost	Number	Cost	Number	Cost	Number	Cost
Truck, ¼-ton (E3A)	672	1660.2	237	427.1	431	807.7	1340	2895.0
Truck, 1-ton	—	—	11	34.3	20	62.3	31	96.6
Launcher, M79 (F1L)	—	—	40	9.9	40	9.9	80	19.8
Rifle, 57-mm, M18A2 (F1Z)	—	—	—	—	15	2.5	15	2.5
AN VRC-10 radio	410	118.8	—	—	870	234.9	1310	353.7
AN VRC-10 radio	—	—	—	—	570	571.2	570	571.2
AN VRC-34 radio	258	258.0	—	—	706	601.7	964	859.7
AN GRC-87 radio	326	1660.2	—	—	261	129.7	587	1789.9
Other radio equipment (H2)	—	—	—	31.8	1120	403.6	—	435.4
Other support equipment (J6)	—	—	—	—	70	12.3	—	12.3
Construction-equipment parts (K7)	—	—	—	—	36	27.0	—	27.0
Subtotal	—	3697.2	—	503.1	—	2862.8	—	7060.1
Supply operations (13%)	—	480.6	—	65.4	—	372.2	—	918.2
Total	—	4177.8	—	568.5	—	3235.0	—	7981.3

<sup>a</sup>Based on Refs 2, 31, and 32 for MAP element code 7FCA.

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TABLE E9

Equipment Authorized for US Army Advisors  
through the RVN Army

Item	Number authorized
Communications <sup>a</sup>	
AN VRC-10 radio	422
AN VRC-34 radio	477
AN GRC-87 radio	367
Antenna, RC-292	623
PP-327 power supply	367
Rectifier, RA-91	425
Battery, BB-46	850
Loudspeaker, LS-166	362
Vehicles <sup>b</sup>	
Truck, ¼-ton	2343
Truck, ½-ton	39

<sup>a</sup>As of May 1967; based on Ref 54.

<sup>b</sup>As of August 1966; based on Ref 55.

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TABLE E10

Authorized Advisor-Compound Defense  
Weapons, September 1967<sup>56</sup>

Weapon	Number
Mortar, 4.2-in.	2
Mortar, 81-mm	54
Mortar, 60-mm	5
Machinegun, .50-cal	11
Machinegun, .30-cal	323
Launcher, grenade, M79	606
Rifle, recoilless, 57-mm	5
Rifle, Browning automatic	702
Submachinegun, .45-cal	185
Shotgun	56

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(C) **TABLE E11**  
**Estimated AIK and US Navy Operations and Maintenance Funds**  
**in Support of the US Army Advisory Program**  
(In thousands of dollars)

Object	Class <sup>a</sup>	FY65		Total	FY66 <sup>d</sup>		Total
		AIK <sup>b</sup>	Operations and maintenance, Navy <sup>c</sup>		Operations and maintenance, Navy	Operations and maintenance, Navy	
Station allowances	12	0	1853.0	1,853.0	12.9	42.4	1,908.3
Civilian personnel	11-12	765.0	0	765.0	3.0	0.3	776.3
Travel	15-21	12.8	376.0	388.8	500.4	945.1	6,338.3
Transportation of goods	22	200.6	4.3	204.9	0	0	204.9
Rents, utilities, communications	23	2224.2	0	2,224.2	0	0	2,224.2
Printing	24	2.8	0	2.8	89.0	330.7	422.5
Other services	25	1578.6	603.0	2,181.6	0	0	2,181.6
Supplies and material	26	613.4	335.1	948.5	1797.1	2098.1	5,743.7
Equipment	31	2703.6	2060.9	4,764.5	459.4	550.2	5,774.1
Total	—	8101.0	5232.3	13,333.3	7365.8	4874.8	25,573.9

<sup>a</sup>See Ref 28 for identification.  
<sup>b</sup>Estimates of AIK funds spent for the US Army Advisory Program in FY66-FY67 are not available.  
<sup>c</sup>Based on Ref 2; assumes that first-half FY65 expenditures were repeated in second half of FY65.  
<sup>d</sup>Estimates furnished verbally to the author by HQ MACV Comptroller Division personnel.

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(U) Table E11 shows the available data on AIK and US Navy Operations and Maintenance funds in support of the US Army advisory program. Until 25 March 1966, the US Navy was reimbursed for these expenditures from MAP funds (Program N4B). The data in Table E11 are considered to be of poor reliability.

## RECAPITULATION AND ANALYSIS

(U) Table E12 shows the distribution of assigned US Army advisors by selected type of assignment.

(C) **TABLE E12**  
**Distribution of Assigned US Army Advisors by Type of Assignment, FY65-FY67**

Assignment	FY65		FY66		FY67	
	Number	Percent of total	Number	Percent of total	Number	Percent of total
Corps HQ and Capitol Military Region <sup>a</sup>	368	12.1	862	19.0	898	18.2
Divisions	948	31.1	1305	28.7	1280	26.0
Sector and subsector	884	29.0	1284	28.3	1525	30.9
(Regional Forces and Popular Forces advisory duties)	(205)	(6.7)	(251)	(5.5)	(305)	(6.2)
Regional Forces and Popular Forces	178	5.8	192	4.2	201	4.1
Army training installations	125	4.1	194	4.2	229	4.6
Other nondivisional units	545	17.9	708	15.6	797	16.2
Total	3048	100.0	4545	100.0	4930	100.0

<sup>a</sup>Includes corps headquarters units.



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